Today's Forecast.
Rain is Predicted for Today and the Same Weather Will Probably Be Experienced Sunday.

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THE WEATHER.

Rain is predicted for Pittsburgh and vicinity for the next two days by the Washington weather bureau. There was a slight drizzle last evening, but the rainfall was not heavy enough to make the streets more than damp. Yesterday's weather conditions were somewhat similar to Thursday's, the mercury only reaching a maximum temperature of 65 degrees by 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The minimum was 48 degrees.

Rain.

The Gazette weather service thermometers at Kaufmann's corner at the following hours yesterday registered:

12 noon	62 degrees	8 p. m.	60 degrees
4 p. m.	65 degrees	12 midnight	60 degrees

Time of sunrise today.....5:59 a. m.
Time of sunset today.....5:40 p. m.
Daily report for yesterday furnished by the United States weather bureau:

Time.	Bar.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.16	54	88	N.	Cloudy
8 p. m.	30.11	62	48	N. E.	Cloudy

Comparative temperature and precipitation for the past six years:

	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	56	81	66	86	68	62
Minimum	44	63	36	72	47	42
Mean	50	72	51	78	58	52
Precipitation	0	0	0	0	0	0

Maximum temperature, 4 p. m.....65
Minimum temperature, 5 a. m.....46
Mean temperature.....56
Normal temperature for 31 years.....60
Deficiency in temperature for the day.....4
Deficiency in temperature since Oct. 1.....7
Deficiency in temperature since Jan. 1.....152
Normal precipitation for 31 years.....03
Precipitation for the day.....0
Deficiency in precipitation for the day.....03
Excess in precipitation since Oct. 1.....14
Excess in precipitation since Jan. 1.....4.38

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Rain Saturday and probably Sunday; brisk to high north winds on the lakes.

Ohio—Rain Saturday; brisk to high north winds; Sunday probably fair.

West Virginia—Rain Saturday; Sunday cooler, with fair in west and rain in east portion.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Pittsburgh	62 Cloudy	St. Louis	56 Rain
Indian'lis	60 Rain	Kansas City	56 Rain
Cairo	60 Rain	Norfolk	68 Clear
Cincinnati	54 Rain	Philadelp'a	66 Clear
Washton	62 Clear	N. Y. City	60 Clear
Columbus	54 Rain	Buffalo	50 Cloudy
Des Moines	54 Cloudy	Cleveland	56 Rain
Oklahoma	48 Rain	Cheyenne	42 Clear
Jacksonv'le	78 Clear	Salt L. City	60 Clear
N. Orleans	74 Cloudy	Denver	56 Cloudy
Parkersb'g	66 Cloudy	N. Platte	46 Cloudy
Chattan'ga	76 Cloudy	Omaha	62 Cloudy
Vicksburg	74 Pt Cldy	Rapid City	52 Clear
Memphis	72 Cloudy	Dodge City	50 Rain
Chicago	56 Cloudy	Grand Haven	52 Cloudy
Marquette	48 Clear	Bismarck	56 Clear
Helena	52 Clear	Huron	52 Clear
St. Paul	52 Clear		

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—Elsie de Wolf in "The Way of the World," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

NEW GRAND—Stock Company in "The Rogue's Comedy," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"Lost River," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Della Fox and vaudeville, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

AVENUE—Continuous vaudeville, commencing at 1:30 and 7:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—Murray and Mack, comedians, in "Shooting the Chutes," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—"The Moonlight Maids," burlesquers, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

PITTSBURGH EXPOSITION—Creatore and band in concerts, 2, 4, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

"NO," IS OPERATORS' ANSWER WHEN ASKED TO ARBITRATE

Peace Prospects Dashed on the Granite Rock of Labor Unionism.

THE WASHINGTON MEETING FAILS

Mine Owners Utterly Refuse to Listen to Anything from Mitchell.

EXTRA SESSION UNLIKELY

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
603 Fifteenth St., N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 3.

"No!"

This was the united answer of the coal operators late this afternoon to the final question put by President Roosevelt, whether they would accept the peace proposition submitted by President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers.

In response to a further question from the president, they said they would have no dealings whatever with Mitchell looking toward a settlement of the question at issue, and that they had no other proposition to make, save what was contained in the statement of Mr. Baer, which, in effect, was that if any man chooses to resume work and has a difficulty with his employer both should leave the settlement of the question to the judge of the court of common pleas in the district in which the mine was located.

Mr. Mitchell's proposition, which was thus summarily rejected, was that the questions at issue between miners and operators be submitted to a tribunal to be selected by President Roosevelt.

Both Sides Firm as Rock.

Unionism is the rock on which the negotiations were wrecked. The coal operators, resenting what they apparently regard as unwarranted interference by the president, have rejected arbitration even by the president of the United States himself. They will only consent to the resumption of mining by the strikers going to work as individuals.

If the offer of arbitration had been accepted by the operators, mining would have been resumed within three days; but the leaders of the miners will not consent to go to work until an arbitration of their grievance is assured and the operators will not consent to arbitration.

Thus, while the public is to suffer, one side in this great controversy blocks the road by insisting on its existence being continued as a union and the other blocks the road by insisting that unionism shall cease in the anthracite coal fields.

All three sides to today's conference confessed failure to reach an agreement at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Two conferences were held during the day. At 11 o'clock the president, flanked by Attorney General Knox, Carroll D. Wright, the commissioner of labor, and Secretary Cortelyou, met the persons whom he had invited to discuss with him the opening of the mines.

Those Who Took Part.

These, on the part of the operators, were George F. Baer, president of the Reading; W. H. Truesdale, president of the Lackawanna; E. B. Thomas of the Erie, Thomas B. Fowler of the Ontario & Western, David Wilcox, vice president of the Delaware & Hudson, and John Markle of Hazleton, a prominent independent coal operator; and on behalf of the miners' organization, John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, and Thomas D. Nichols, Thomas Duffy and John Fahey, presidents of the miners' district organizations.

The president, reclining on a couch, had told them in a speech which fairly smoked with patriotic fervor, that he represented the great public, and with neither side in the controversy had he anything to do; that a situation had arisen which was "literally intolerable," threatening as it does life, comfort and all business with the paralyzing blight of a fuel famine. He, therefore, appealed to them to sink for the time being their respective claims in the matter at issue so that there could be an immediate resumption of operation in the coal mines.

Instantly Mitchell declared to the president his willingness to favor the return of all of the miners to work and to submit the grievances of the miners against the operators to arbitration.

President Called a Halt.

The operators, through President Baer, declared that they could not consider any proposition that came from Mitchell, and could not in any way recognize the miner's union.

The president cut short a controversy that seemed about to start by suggesting that the operators and miners withdraw in order to give his words careful consideration, and that they meet him again at the temporary White House at 3 o'clock.

This suggestion was followed. The railroad presidents went to their private cars, where each prepared a separate statement as to the terms and conditions under which they would be willing to resume the mining of coal. Mitchell and his assistants went to their little plain hotel, where Mitchell prepared a statement. The struggle was renewed at 3 o'clock at the White House.

Mitchell again made his proposition for the appointment of an arbitration tribunal by the president, or for a settlement by the president as arbitrator. If the operators would agree to this he could guarantee that the men would go to work immediately pending the adjustment of the grievances.

This proposition was rejected by each of the operators in turn. They refused to consider any proposition which came from John Mitchell or from anyone who had any connection with the miners' organization.

They were willing to submit the alleged grievances of the miners as individuals' organization, but refused to treat with the United Mine Workers as an organization.

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WHAT THE PRESIDENT, FOR THE PEOPLE, ASKED OF THE MINERS AND OPERATORS.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, Oct. 3.—The president read the following statement to the members of the conference:

"I wish to call your attention to the fact that there are three parties affected by the situation in the anthracite trade—the operators, the miners and the general public. I speak for neither the operators nor the miners, but for the general public. The questions at issue which led to the situation affect immediately the parties concerned—the operators and the miners; but the situation itself vitally affects the public.

"As long as there seemed to be a reasonable hope that these matters could be adjusted between the parties it did not seem proper to me to intervene in any way. I disclaim any right or duty to intervene in this way upon legal grounds or upon any official relation that I bear to the situation; but the urgency and the terrible nature of the catastrophe impending over a large portion of our people in the shape of a winter fuel famine impel me, after much anxious thought, to believe that my duty requires me to use whatever influence I personally can to bring to an end a situation which has become literally intolerable.

"I wish to emphasize the character of the situation and to say that its gravity is such that I am constrained urgently to insist that each one of you realize the heavy burden of responsibility upon him. We are upon the threshold of winter with an already existing coal famine, the future terrors of which we can hardly yet appreciate. The evil possibilities are so far reaching, so appalling, that it seems to me that you are not only justified in sinking, but required to sink for the time being any tenacity as to your respective claims in the matter at issue between you.

"In my judgment the situation imperatively requires that you meet upon the common plane of the necessities of the public. With all the earnestness there is in me I ask that there be an immediate resumption of operations in the coal mines in some such way as will without a day's unnecessary delay meet the crying needs of the people.

"I do not invite a discussion of your respective claims and positions. I appeal to your patriotism, to the spirit that sinks personal considerations and makes individual sacrifices for the general good."

STATEMENTS OF PARTIES TO CONFERENCE

President Baer's Letter Bitter Against Mitchell—Holds Him Responsible for Anarchy.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., Oct. 3.—The most important of the mine operators' statements made to President Roosevelt at the conference today was by President Baer of the Reading railroad. He said:

We understand your anxiety is forcibly expressed in the statement you read to us this morning, to bring about "an immediate resumption of operations in the coal mines in some such way as will without a day's unnecessary delay meet the crying needs of the people." We infer that you desire us to consider the offer of Mr. Mitchell verbally made this morning, expressing and speaking for the United Mine Workers, to go back to work if you would appoint a commission to determine the questions at issue.

You distinctly say that you "do not invite a discussion of your respective claims and positions;" but we assume that a statement of what is going on in the coal regions will not be irrelevant. We represent the owners of coal mines in Pennsylvania. There are from 15,000 to 20,000 at work mining and preparing coal. They are abused, assaulted, injured and maltreated by the United Mine Workers. They can only work under the protection of armed guards. Thousands of other workmen are deterred from working by the intimidation, violence and crimes inaugurated by the United Mine Workers, over whom John Mitchell, whom you invited to meet you, is chief.

I need not picture the daily crimes committed by the members of this organization. The "domestic tranquility" which our constitution declares is the chief object of government, does not exist in the coal regions. There is a terrible reign of lawlessness and crime there. Only the lives and property of the members of the secret, oath-bound order which declared that the locals should have "full power to suspend operations at collieries" until the non-union men joined their order, are safe. Every effort is made to prevent the mining of coal, and Mitchell's men use dynamite bridges and tracks, mob trainmen, and by all manner of violence try to prevent its shipment to relieve the public.

The constitution of Pennsylvania guarantees protection to life and property. In express terms it declares the right of acquiring, possessing and defending property "to be inalienable." When riot and anarchy too great to be appeased by the civil power occur, the governor of Pennsylvania is bound to call out the state troops to suppress it. He must fearlessly use the whole power of the state to protect life and property and to establish peace—not an armed truce, but the peace of the law which protects every man at work and going to and from work.

He has sent troops to the coal regions. Gradually the power of the law is asserting itself. Unless encouraged by false hopes, order will soon be reported, and then we can mine coal to meet the public wants. If the power of Pennsylvania is insufficient to re-establish the reign of law, the constitution of the United States requires the president, when requested by the legislature and the government, "to

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Company Representatives Ask For Military Force and Prosecution of Miners.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., Oct. 3.—Following are extracts from statements made by coal operators to President Roosevelt at the conference today:

Mr. Thomas, president of the Erie railroad: We ask that the state of Pennsylvania—and if able in unison, the powers of the United States—shall be exerted to afford full protection to employes not only while at work but to and from their homes, as well as to their families, and that the reign of terror, riot, intimidation and murder which for months has prevailed in the anthracite region, shall cease. A record of 20 killed, over 40 injured, and with constant and increasing destruction of buildings, works, machinery and railroad by mob violence, with no proper enforcement of the law or order by the proper officials, is not the time to act on Mr. Mitchell's suggestion, of this morning to arbitrate with men not in our employ.

I fully concur in the suggestion of Mr. Baer, which can be pursued in case of failure to agree with our employes, but in many years of such dealing, it has never yet been requisite to call in assistance to fully and satisfactorily deal with our own men.

John Markle, independent operator: As an American citizen and a citizen of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, I now ask you to perform the duties vested in you as the president of these United States, to at once quench the anarchistic condition of affairs in the anthracite coal regions by the strong arm of the military as your command.

Are you asking us to deal with a set of outlaws? I can hardly conceive of such a thought. The respectable citizens of these United States look upon the officers in power giving to the citizens of Pennsylvania law and order and the right to work if they so desire.

We represent far better than Mr. Mitchell does a majority of this anthracite coal workers, including some 17,000 men who are now working, endeavoring against great odds to relieve the public of the possibilities of a coal famine.

If you desire anthracite coal to be placed in the market quickly, take the necessary steps at once to put the Federal troops in the field, and give to those desiring to work proper protection.

W. H. Truesdale, president of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad: We insist that the existing conditions of anarchy and lawlessness, of riot and rapine, a condition which has been raging with more or less violence throughout the anthracite regions during the past seven months, be immediately and permanently suppressed; that to this end we ask that the entire authority and power of the state of Pennsylvania, civil and military, and if needs be, that of the United States government as well, be exercised forthwith.

Second—We ask that the civil branch of the United States government, taking cognisance of and following the decisions of its courts rendered in litigation growing out of previous similar conditions, at once institute proceed-

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Miners Suggest a Tribunal of Arbitration to Be Selected by Roosevelt.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., Oct. 3.—The following is the text of the statement made to the president this afternoon by the official representatives of the miners' union:

Mr. President: At the conference this morning, we, the accredited representatives of the anthracite coal mine workers, were much impressed with the views you expressed and the dangers to the welfare of our country from a prolongation of the coal strike that you so clearly pointed out. Conscious of the responsibility resting upon us, conscious of our duty to society, conscious of our obligations to the 150,000 mine workers whom we have the honor to represent, we have, after most careful consideration, and with the hope of relieving the situation and averting the sufferings and hardship which would inevitably follow in the wake of a coal famine, decided to propose a resumption of coal mining upon the lines hereinafter suggested.

Before doing so, Mr. President, we desire to say that we are not prompted to suggest this course because of any doubts of justice of our claims. In deferring to your wishes to continue the contest to a successful issue. Thanks to the generous support rendered us by our fellow-workers in this and other lands; thanks to a justice-loving American public, whose sympathies are always on the side of right, we are able to continue the struggle indefinitely.

But, confident of our ability to demonstrate to any impartial tribunal the equity of our demands for higher wages and improved environment, we propose that the issues culminating in this strike shall be referred to you and a tribunal of your own selection, and agree to accept your award upon all or any of the questions involved.

If you will accept this responsibility, and the representatives of the coal operators will signify their willingness to have your decision incorporated in an agreement for not less than one year or more than five years, as may be mutually determined by themselves and the anthracite coal mine workers, and will pay the scale of wages which you and the tribunal appointed by you shall award, we will immediately call a convention and recommend a resumption of work, upon the understanding that the wages which shall be paid are to go into effect from the day upon which work is resumed.

Afterward Mr. Mitchell personally made an additional statement, in which he said:

As a consequence of this refusal of the operators either to grant concessions or to defer to individual arbitration, the coal strike will go on. I am firmly convinced that the miners will win, although we deeply regret the refusal of the railroad presidents to defer to the wishes of the chief executive of the United States. The president expressed the hope that there would be no lawlessness in the coal fields, and the representatives of the miners assured him that their every effort would be exerted to maintain peace.

OPERATORS CONFER WITH ROOT; MAY WANT TROOPS ORDERED OUT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 4.—Conferences on the coal situation did not end with that at the White House. The coal roads' presidents this (Saturday) morning are still in the city. A conference, attended by all of them is now in progress in the rooms of Secretary Root, at the Arlington hotel.

When this conference was arranged cannot be learned, but Mr. Fowler, president of the Ontario & Western railroad, appeared at the Arlington about 11 o'clock and asked if Mr. Root was in. Then he went to the front door and waited. In a short time the four other coal operators appeared and joined Mr. Fowler.

It is more than likely that the operators are urging upon Secretary Root the necessity of sending federal troops to the coal regions. If this be the purpose of the midnight call on Secretary Root, it is thought, it will avail nothing.

"Arbitration beats the bayonet," is the way President Roosevelt is said to look at the coal situation.

The charges that the rioting was the cause of the coal famine will probably lead the president to make an investigation. It is said that he has sent for Gov. Stone and that the governor will be in Washington in the morning to tell the president exactly the extent of the mob violence and disorder.

DALZELL FEARS STRIKE'S EFFECT

Dreads a Passionate Demand for Immature Legislation.

NO FEDERAL POWER

Congressman John Dalzell left for Philadelphia last night on private business, but will return to Pittsburgh in a few days. He was asked what he thought of the result of the conference held by President Roosevelt with the anthracite coal operators and the leaders of the striking miners.

"I am not aware of the result that has been accomplished," said Mr. Dalzell.

"President Mitchell of the miners' organization said that no agreement was reached," the congressman was told.

Mr. Dalzell settled himself in his seat and, after a few moments, said:

"The condition brought about by the strike is greatly to be deplored. While I am not familiar with the particulars in the present controversy between the miners and operators, I fear the effect upon the body politic is the creation of a passionate, although immaturely thought-out demand for legislation that is entirely foreign to the genius of our institutions, state and national.

"We have not yet reached that stage when the community can confiscate private property; and entirely apart from the sufferings of the consumers of coal, the sentiments that the continuance of the strike is spreading among the people must inevitably multiply the number of those who espouse state socialism.

"So far as I am able to ascertain, there is no power possessed by congress to legislate in the question. The mine and mining properties are all within the state of Pennsylvania, and as I read the constitution of the United States, Pennsylvania reserves to herself the rights not expressly delegated to the federal government. As to the proceedings, said to have been instituted for the appointment of receivers for the railway companies engaged in coal production, they will not affect the operation of the mines nor the properties of the companies in Pennsylvania.

"The Pennsylvania courts have not been in the habit of granting receiverships where it has not been shown that the parties for whom receiverships are asked, are insolvent. It would certainly involve some big legal question, were receivers granted in such cases. The courts have repeatedly declared that there is no law that can compel a man to work in the absence of a specified contract, nor an employer to give wages beyond what he is willing to pay.

"The whole thing, therefore, resolves itself into a question of whether the miners are willing to work for the compensation offered, or the companies willing to pay what the miners ask. The parties immediately interested are the parties to settle the strike. President Roosevelt may suggest and even persuade these parties to adjust their controversy, but I cannot see how he can compel them to do so."

In regard to the speakership of the next congress, Mr. Dalzell said it was too early to talk about it, as the congress that would elect the next speaker was yet to be selected by the people.

ORE HANDLING PLANT ORDERED

Equipment for Furnace at Donora, Pa., to Cost $1,500,000.

ECONOMY IN WORK

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Cleveland, Oct. 3.—One of the largest and most important contracts for blast furnace equipment has just been awarded to the Wellman-Seaver-Morgan Engineering Company of Cleveland, and is for the stock handling plant of the Union Steel Company at Donora, Pa.

The cost will reach $1,500,000, and the plant will be a radical departure from anything that has hitherto been done in ore storage and handling plants for large blast furnaces. All of the ore will be housed and protected from the weather and arranged so that in the winter, by means of artificial heating, the temperature in the storage plant will not be less than 45 degrees, thus enabling the ore to be as economically handled in the winter as in the summer months.

This will enable the furnace to be charged uniformly the year around, which will tend to increase the capacity of the furnace. The plant will consist of an immense stock house, large enough to store 400,000 to 500,000 tons of ore and sufficient coke and limestone for the operation of the plant.

The ore is to be brought from the lake ports to the stock house and dumped either directly from the cars into the bins, transferred directly to the stock piles. The plant is to be equipped entirely with electrically operated machinery.

REVOLUTION ANNOUNCED.

Macedonian Calls Upon His Countrymen to Take Up Arms.

SOFIA, BULGARIA, Oct. 3.—The organ of the Macedonian committee has published a manifesto of Col. Jankoff, leader of the Macedonian insurrection, announcing the revolution and calling on all Macedonians to take up arms in behalf of their country. The colonel points out that all the Balkan states won their liberty by fire and blood.

A public meeting convened by the Macedonian committee today voted by acclamation to address a note to the powers calling attention to the critical situation in Macedonia, urging the necessity for putting in operation the treaty of Berlin and recommending that the Macedonian question be submitted to the arbitration of the International court at The Hague.

Young Jackson Defeated.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Young Peter Jackson, the colored middle-weight, was defeated here tonight in a six-round contest by John Willie, a local boxer. Jackson appeared to be in poor condition and was almost out at the finish.

Two New Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 3.—The following Pennsylvania postmasters were appointed today: Harrison City, Westmoreland county, Nathaniel W. McBryar, Spragus, Greene county, John L. Ely.

UNVACCINATED ARE EXEMPTED FROM THE LAW

Compulsory Education Gets Blow from Judge Frazer.

SAYS THE PARENTS CANNOT BE FINED

Decision of Alderman Oyer Reversed in Quarter Sessions.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION

Judge R. S. Frazer yesterday handed down an opinion in quarter sessions court, in which he holds that a parent whose child is refused admission to school because it has not been vaccinated, cannot be proceeded against under the compulsory education law.

The case originated in an appeal from a decision of Alderman C. F. Oyer, who fined Louis Bauman $2 for neglecting to send his children to school. This action was brought under the act of 1901. In the appeal taken by Attorney Hermann L. Grote, representing Bauman, it was set forth that Bauman sent his three children to the Homewood sub-district school but they were refused admission because they had not been vaccinated.

Subsequently Charles Reisfar, secretary of the central board of education, entered suit against Bauman.

In the opinion handed down Judge Frazer says;

Did His Whole Duty.

"The act of 1901 requires the defendant to send his children to school. This he attempted to do, by presenting them at the schoolhouse and asking that they be enrolled. In doing this he complied with the provisions of the act.

"His children were not refused admission to the school because of either his or their failure to comply with any of the provisions of the act. Their admission was refused solely because of inability to present physicians' vaccination certificates required by the act of 1885.

"The defendant, not having neglected any duty imposed upon him by the first section of the act of July 13, 1901, was improperly convicted, and the judgment of the magistrate must be reversed and set aside.

Cannot Prosecute Parents.

The practical effect of the decision is to exempt parents from the penalties of the compulsory education law, so long as their children are not vaccinated. But as an act of assembly authorizes boards of health to require all persons to be vaccinated, the truancy officer in such cases can report them to the health board for vaccination and the penalties of the compulsory education law will become operative, if they are vaccinated.

"This decision is right in line with the argument," said Secretary Charles Reisfar of the central board of education when the decision was read to him by a Gazette reporter. "The effect of the decision is that the school board cannot prosecute a man for not sending his children to school when the principal, acting under the compulsory vaccination law, has refused them admittance. It allows such children to be kept from school, but it does not allow the board to sue the parents. No principal will allow children who have never been vaccinated or never had smallpox to come to school. By doing so he would lay himself open to prosecution. We shall act along this line."

BERI-BERI VICTIM DIES IN NEW YORK

Was Chinese Fireman on Steamship Braemar Engaged in Oriental Trade.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The dreaded disease of beri-beri has been discovered on the steamship Braemar, engaged in the Chinese trade, and Wing Lee, 28 years old, a Chinese fireman, was taken from the ship to the hospital, where he died this afternoon.

Beri-beri is a disease most prevalent in India and other eastern countries, and it spreads rapidly.

The disease is greatly feared by the Chinese. It shows itself by a tightening of the muscles and a peculiar nerve contraction.

CLERGYMEN TO CONFER.

Mgr. Chapelle Wants Meeting With the Rev. Santiago Paya.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—Mgr. Chapelle, archbishop of New Orleans and apostolic delegate to Cuba and Porto Rico, in a communication announcing his approaching visit to Rome, begs the Rev. Santiago Paya, provincial of the Order of the Dominicans in the Philippine islands, to await his arrival, as he wishes to confer with him.

The Rev. Santiago Paya is at present in Spain and it is his intention to proceed from there to Manila in order to be present at the arrival of Archbishop Guidi, apostolic delegate in the Philippines, who leaves Rome about the middle of October for Manila. It is supposed here that Mgr. Chapelle will go to Spain and confer there with the provincial of the Dominicans before the latter's departure for the Philippines. Mgr. Chapelle reached New York October 1 from Havana on his way to Rome.

To Succeed Amos Cummings.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Conventions were held in the old Tenth congressional district tonight to nominate candidates for the unexpired term of the late Amos J. Cummings. The Republicans nominated Henry Birrell, who is also the candidate nominated in the new Eleventh district, which includes a great part of the old Tenth. The Democrats nominated Edward Swan, a lawyer. William S. Devery presided over the Democratic convention.

COMMON SALT BASIS OF LIFE RESTORER

Dr. Littlefield Claims to Have Brought One Boy from Death's Door.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ALEXANDRIA, IND., Oct. 3.—Dr. C. W. Littlefield maintains that there can be no mistake about his claim that he can restore the dead to life. He says he has so restored one boy, who was undoubtedly dead, and that he has restored animals numberless times after rigor mortis had set in.

He asserts that life is not necessarily dependent upon organic function. Where death has been due to causes which have not impaired tissue formation or torn down the structures of the vital organs, life may be recalled.

"Volatile magnetism," says the physician, "is the power that can reanimate the dead body."

In his experiments Dr. Littlefield uses a powder of which the basis is common salt. The dead animal is placed upon a porcelain slab previously heated to the temperature of the living body, and the powder is sprinkled liberally over it.

Dr. Littlefield asserts that in every instance signs of life have appeared in three or four minutes, and that in fifteen minutes the animal has appeared completely restored.

RYAN FINISHES TWO.

Champion Middleweight Whips Barney Walsh and Jack Beauscholte.

KANSAS CITY, MO., Oct. 3.—Tommy Ryan, champion middleweight pugilist, tonight met "Jack" Beauscholte and Barney Walsh of Chicago and knocked out both men in less than five rounds. According to the terms of the contest each of Ryan's opponents was to last six rounds.

Walsh, who entered the ring first, was knocked out by a right hand swing on the jaw after two minutes of fighting in the second round. One minute later Beauscholte entered the ring and was finished in the middle of the third round by a left upper cut.

SITUATION IS GRAVE SAYS SENATOR QUAY

Governor Stone Makes No Statement About Fruitless Conference.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 4.—(1 A. M.)—Senator Quay remained up until 12:30 to read the statements of the railroad presidents and that of Mr. Mitchell. He declined to discuss the outcome of the conference, but said the situation was very grave.

HARRISBURG, PA., Oct. 4.—(1 A. M.)—(Special.)—Gov. Stone, on his return from Philadelphia tonight, was asked if he would take any action to settle the coal strike if the Washington conference failed. "I have nothing to say," replied the governor.

EXTRA SESSION ASKED.

Miners' Representative Thinks Congress Might Act as Promptly as It Did Before Spanish War.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Miles Kehoe, chairman of the Chicago miners' relief committee of this city, says:

"An extra session of congress should be called, which should take action regarding the settlement of the anthracite strike with the same lightning speed and unanimity that it did in appropriating $50,000,000 for the Spanish-American war.

"I am disappointed at the outcome of the president's conference. It seemed to me that the operators had recognized John Mitchell officially by agreeing to meet him at Washington, and I was surprised when they coolly went back to their old refusal to recognize the miners' union."

Farmer Kills Himself.

WARREN, O., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—At Kinsman this afternoon James Storler, a widely known farmer, shot himself dead because of reverses. He was 50 years old and leaves a family.

WHAT WILL HE DO NOW?

TALK TO FARMERS AND COAL MINERS

Pennypacker and Penrose End Day in the Anthracite Region.

HOW LABOR IS TREATED

While Republican Pennsylvania Relieves Farmers of Taxation and Protects Toil, Democratic South Oppresses Both Classes.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Shamokin, Pa., Oct. 3.—Accompanied by Senator Penrose, the Republican gubernatorial party today went into Northumberland county, met thousands of voters at the Milton fair, shook hands with another throng at Northumberland, where there was a 20-minutes stop, and closed with a rousing demonstration by miners tonight at Shamokin, which crowded the streets, packed the Windsor hotel and filled the opera house to overflowing with an audience that showed the liveliest approval of the sentiments uttered by Judge Pennypacker, Senator Penrose, ex-Senator W. M. Brown, Gen. Latta and the active young candidate for congress, Fred A. Godcharles, who accompanied the party from Milton to Shamokin.

Senator Penrose showed what the Republican party had done for labor, refuted charges of imperialism made against the government by the Democratic and Populist orators, and called forth a storm of applause by his reference to the efforts of President Roosevelt to settle the differences between capital and labor.

Fully 12,000 Northumberland county citizens greeted the candidates and Senator Penrose at the fair grounds of the Milton Driving association. Judge Pennypacker and Senator Penrose delivered brief speeches which elicited hearty applause. Thousands pressed forward and shook hands with Judge Pennypacker, Senator Penrose and ex-Senator Brown, and many were the hearty utterances of support.

Judge Pennypacker briefly called the attention of his audience to the great prosperity under Republican administration and urged that the way to continue the prosperity is to continue in power the party under whose administration it had been brought about.

Senator Penrose, in reference to the immunity of the farmers from taxation, said:

Meeting at Shamokin.

The farming classes have received less, perhaps, from the government than any other class, and it is time and it is right that the farmers should demand their fair and equal share of protection of the government. They do not grudge that protection to other industries, and it is only fair you should be protected in your own industry, especially as the building up of the farming industries of the state.

Under our tax laws all the expenses of the state government are paid by the corporations. Not a farmer in Pennsylvania pays a penny for the support of the state government. Further than that, under our system of refunding a portion of the capital stock tax and numberless other forms of taxes upon personal property, these corporations return to some counties in Pennsylvania more money than they pay in taxes themselves.

In the western states you see the farmer paying taxes to the state upon his sheep, his cattle and his farming implements. It is not so in Pennsylvania.

More than that, over 60 per cent of the revenue of your state goes to charities and schools. The actual expenses of the state government amount to some $4,000,000, added to which is the money for the support of the charitable institutions and of the executive and other governmental departments. The balance goes to charities and to education, the appropriation to education being made to relieve the farming classes of local taxation for that purpose.

The party was met in Shamokin by another delegation and for over an hour the entrance to the Windsor hotel was blocked by a crowd that choked the street and failed to gain admission to the opera house.

Fred E. Moser presided over the meeting and after Mr. Godcharles had spoken Senator Penrose was introduced and elicited great applause by his narrative of what the Republican party had done for organized labor, and by his appeal to the voters to support President Roosevelt in his efforts to serve the best interests of labor. Among other things he said:

Here we are, in the heart of the anthracite region, beneath whose soil lies the enormous wealth stored up by nature. Here we are in one of the strongholds of labor organization, and the Republican party feels confident that it can organize labor as no other party can. Ever since Abraham Lincoln shook off the shackles of slavery, the Republican party has created laws in interest of labor.

How Democracy Treats Labor.

The senator then detailed the numerous statutes in the interest of labor created by Republican legislatures, and compared them with the cheap, unprotected labor of the Southern Democratic states, showing that fully 90 per cent of legislation in the interest of labor had been passed by the Republican party.

Ex-Senator Brown followed with a strong arraignment of the Democratic party, its opposition to a protective tariff and its failure to do anything for the benefit of the workingman.

Judge Pennypacker said: "The smut on the face of the miner is a representation of that force that runs your mills, that sends the wheat of the farmer to the seacoast, that sends it over the ocean to foreign countries and that lifts him up to the level of the highest of his fellows. His dark hands any man, no matter who he may be, should be glad to grasp with pleasure and satisfaction. The Republican party has ever been the friend of labor; it may well be charged that the Democratic party has ever been its persistent foe."

After Gen. Latta had closed the meeting there was a public reception on the stage of the opera house.

The party will be at Millersburg, Dauphin county, tomorrow afternoon, and at Harrisburg tomorrow night, when Attorney General Elkin and Gov. Stone are booked to speak with Judge Pennypacker and ex-Senator Brown.

ACHESON CALLS ON SENATOR QUAY

CONFIDENT CERTIFICATE WILL BE SUSTAINED.

R. B. Scandrett and A. R. Williams of Pittsburgh Also Visit State Headquarters.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3.—At the state committee headquarters Congressman E. F. Acheson had a long talk this morning with Mr. Quay. He received notice while here that the Dauphin county court had postponed his case until next Tuesday at 10 a. m. The congressman is confident his certificate will be sustained.

R. B. Scandrett and A. R. Williams of Pittsburgh saw Chairman Quay. Among other callers were Congressman Palmer of Wilkesbarre, Col. A. K. McClure, Chairman Charles C. Weiss of Lebanon county.

Senator Penrose was notified today of his indorsement by the Iron molders' union of Washington, D. C., in this resolution:

Whereas, This union, located as it is in the national capital, had special opportunity to follow the course pursued by the Hon. Boies Penrose in congress touching legislation affecting labor, and

Whereas, It has noted with great pleasure the uniform friendliness of Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania to organized labor and to the laboring classes, as shown by his actions on the many questions affecting the interests of labor in the United States senate.

Therefore, This union voluntarily indorses the course of said Senator Penrose, and recommends him to the labor organizations of his state as one who has been the consistent friend of labor and the laboring classes, and, as being a very safe, conservative, earnest and consistent member of congress, in whose hands the interests of organized labor and laboring classes will be safe and to the full extent of his power guarded and protected.

COAL CONFERENCE AT DETROIT GOES ON

Preparations Resumed After Result of White House Meeting Is Learned.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

DETROIT, Oct. 3.—As soon as Mayor Maybury learned this afternoon that President Roosevelt's conference with the mine owners and strikers had not resulted in a settlement of the anthracite strike, he announced that citizens and common council committees would meet at noon tomorrow.

The committee is to take final action regarding all details for the reception of the 1,000 delegates who are expected here next Thursday to take part in the national conference to devise a way to secure a supply of hard coal.

DESIRE GOOD FELLOWSHIP.

German-American Clubs to Be Formed Throughout the Fatherland.

BERLIN, Oct. 3.—Fifty prominent Germans from various cities of the empire and some American residents in Berlin were initiated into the Deutsch-Amerikanischer klub at the Hotel Bristol tonight. The object of the club is to encourage pleasant relations between the United States and Germany.

The following resolutions were adopted:

"Prompted by the desire to promote good relations between the citizens of the United States and Germany by the mutual dissemination of correct information and facilitating closer personal intercourse, similar to the aims now being pursued in America by the formation of associations for the promotion of good fellowship between the two nations, we resolve to establish a similar association."

A bureau will be formed for distributing literature regarding the United States in Germany, and branch clubs will be organized in all the large cities.

WARNED AGAINST WATER.

W. C. T. U. Delegates Inconvenienced by Prevalence of Typhoid Fever.

ALLENTOWN, PA., Oct. 3.—The twenty-eighth annual state convention of the Women's Christian Temperance union opened here today. Mrs. Rebecca B. Chambers of West Grove, Pa., presided over the 300 delegates, representing 42 counties in the state. The delegates were warned not to drink Allentown water because of the prevalence of typhoid fever.

Reports were read on the work of the committee to the union during the past year. A school of methods was held tonight, when formal addresses were made and responded to.

Mrs. Clara O. Hoffman delivered an address on "The Dykes of Holland."

BACK TO PENITENTIARY.

Chas. W. Spalding Loses His Fight for Freedom.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—The stubborn fight made by Charles W. Spalding, the former banker, to secure his release from the state penitentiary has proved unavailing and he must return to Joliet to serve the remainder of his sentence for embezzlement.

After having been in the county jail here since July 17 on a writ of habeas corpus, and after much delay in the hearing and decision of the case, one petition having been withdrawn to prevent the possibility of an adverse decision, he has been remanded to the penitentiary by Judges Smith and Bishop sitting en banc.

Ocean Intelligence.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
New York	Augusta Victoria	
New York		Celtic.
Liverpool	Sylvania	Merion.
Queenstown	Lucania	
Queenstown		Fuerst Bismarck.
Southampton		
Cherbourg	Columbia	
Moville		Parisian.
Lizard	Hohenzollern	
Hamburg	Moltke	
Copenhagen	Island	
New York	Philadelphia	
New York	Bohemian	

DREYFUS GRANTS MME ZOLA'S PLEA

Former Captain Will Not Attend the Author's Funeral.

A TEARFUL INTERVIEW

Widow Implores Her Husband's Friend to Remain Away from the Ceremonies, Fearing an Unseemly Demonstration.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Paris, Oct. 3.—The funeral of Emile Zola Sunday promises to be of the most imposing character. A majority of the Socialist and Labor groups and several student associations have decided to send delegations. The prefect of police is organizing extensive measures to preserve order. The procession, which will probably be longer than the entire length of the route, which is only half a mile, will pass between a double row of police. No emblems or flags will be allowed.

Contrary to previous announcements Dreyfus will not attend Zola's funeral. This decision was taken as the result of an interview with Mme. Zola, whom he visited today. Mme. Zola pleaded with Dreyfus not to participate in the ceremony.

Dreyfus was anxious to attend the funeral, considering it a duty which he owed to the memory of Zola, but the widow expressed to him her apprehensions that unseemly demonstrations might occur if he attended, both during the ceremony at the cemetery and afterwards.

"The prefect of police," she said, "is also afraid that your presence may lead to disturbances, and for nothing in the world would I have the funeral of my lamented husband marked by regrettable incidents."

Dreyfus Finally Acceded.

Dreyfus replied, expressing his deep respect and devotion for Mme. Zola, but said it would be "most painful to him to fail in what he considered to be an imperious duty, and Zola, who before everything was a man of duty, and of duty in spite of everything, would certainly have approved my intention, adding:

"I ought not to take into account eventualities which I am far from seeking."

Mme. Zola was then moved to tears and supplicated Dreyfus to abandon the idea, and Dreyfus, who himself displayed considerable emotion, responded:

"But they will say I am hiding myself. That I am a coward. Yes, a coward," he repeated, "and you know well I am not."

Mme. Zola again begged him for her sake to abstain from attending the funeral. Both were the prey to profound emotion, and finally Dreyfus gave in and promised not to attend. Mme. Zola weepingly thanked him for the sacrifice, of which she appreciates, she said, all the greatness.

The general opinion here is that M. Dreyfus acted most wisely in acceding to Mme. Zola's prayer to absent himself from the funeral of her husband, as this ceremony would otherwise undoubtedly have been the occasion of unseemly incidents and perhaps of serious disorders.

Provoked by Newspapers.

The Nationalist press, in the articles published during M. Dreyfus to be present at the funeral of his friend, was really provoking him to attend, while at the same time, in other articles, this press was stirring public feeling against him.

The Courrier du Soir says tonight that the reactionary organs used all kinds of tricks to induce M. Dreyfus to take part in the funeral procession, announcing one day that he would go to the funeral and the next that he did not dare to face his enemies. Thus defied, M. Dreyfus was compelled, for the sake of his own dignity, to announce his intention of rendering homage to the man who so bravely defended him. This was what the reactionists wanted, but the wiser among M. Dreyfus' friends made him see the trap, "and," concludes the Courrier du Soir, "we must congratulate them."

The following extract from an editorial article in the intransigeant of this morning by Henri Rochefort can be taken as a sample of other Nationalist articles. M. Rochefort says:

"Although M. Dreyfus and his general staff of sub-traitors will have every facility to enter the cemetery under the protection of the police, he must come out again, and then the carriage of the German emperor's spy will be exposed to suffer the same fate as that of M. Zola, which often narrowly escaped being rolled over the banks of the Seine on leaving the assize court."

The Caulois this morning publishes a letter from Count Boni de Castellane, addressed to Gen. Percin, chief of the cabinet of the minister of war, calling his attention to the published statement that he met Dreyfus at the Zola residence yesterday and shook hands with him. Count de Castellane asks Gen. Percin to deny this statement, which, he says, if true, would be dishonoring to a French officer.

SHOW SEATS COLLAPSE.

Fifteen Hundred Spectators Thrown to the Ground and Many Badly Injured.

MARYVILLE, MO., Oct. 3.—Fifteen hundred people were thrown several feet to the ground by the collapse of the seats in a tent while a show was in progress. Two hundred were injured, some seriously.

J. C. Donnelly, ex-mayor of Maryville, was badly injured, having a number of bones broken and sustaining serious injuries about the back.

Miss Rose Montgomery of Blockow, Mo., received injuries in the back which will probably prove fatal. An unknown child was so badly hurt that it cannot recover.

Dozens of others were removed to their homes immediately, a few of whom may die.

J. HAMPTON MOORE IS ELECTED PRESIDENT

Republican League Follows National in Its Declaration of Principles.

J. HAMPTON MOORE.

Chicago, Oct. 3.—The National League of Republican Clubs today elected officers and left the time and place of the next meeting to the executive committee. The election resulted: President, J. Hampton Moore, Philadelphia; secretary, E. J. Weeks, Iowa; treasurer, Sid B. Redding, Arkansas; vice president, J. J. Sheridan, Illinois.

Among the members of the executive committee are J. Martin Rommel of Philadelphia and N. P. Ramsey of Dayton, O.

The convention in its platform did not depart from its usual custom, which is not to make Republican issues, but to promulgate them.

Senator Beveridge of Indiana tonight addressed the delegates on the subject of the young American. He arraigned the Democratic party for its policy, which brings no hope for advancement for the young man in business.

"Democracy's hopeless message to young men is a doctrine of cruelty as well as of falsehood because it paralyzes youth's natural endeavor," he said. "It puts in the mouths of young men these words: 'Why strive, since my striving is in vain? Why labor, since my toil is for others? Why improve, since improvement is fruitless?' And so it converts the young manhood of the republic into a generation of do-less discontents. And yet the facts of the day declare the reverse. Most rich Americans were poor boys 40 years ago. If Democracy says that that was possible then but impossible now, remember that the new engineers of enterprise whom the old masters today are putting at the throttle and the lever are young men who yesterday were poor boys, unaided except by their own unconquerable wills and masterful minds.

"George W. Perkins, the right hand of Morgan, was an office boy whose only influential friends were poverty, determination and faith in humanity and himself; and George W. Perkins is only 40 years of age. Charles M. Schwab was a puddler whose only friends of influence were industry, ability, unconquerable perseverance; and Charles M. Schwab is only 40 years of age. No newspaper could in a single issue print the names of young men already coming to the front who yesterday were friendless and helpless save for the great friend and matchless help which every man has within his own breast."

"NO" IS OPERATORS' ANSWER.

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viduals to the various judges of the courts of common pleas in the several anthracite coal counties; and would bind themselves to abide by the decision of these judges; but before this could be done, the men who are now on strike must surrender as individuals and abandon their labor organizations.

It thus became apparent that the operators were placing the public comfort and the public safety below their own desire to uproot organized labor in the coal fields. The miners placed unionism above the public weal. In other words, unionism was the rock on which the negotiations split.

Thus the effort of the president came to naught. Both sides separated, admitting that the situation is just as bad as ever, and that the strike would go on. John Mitchell has sent his news to the various lodges in the coal region.

This, in brief, is the melancholy story of one of the most remarkable conferences ever held by a president of the United States in time of peace or war.

Bitter Against Mitchell.

At the conference the operators spoke with much bitterness, charging the miners with violence and bad faith, and plainly intimating that they intended to run their business as they saw fit. They insisted that they could mine sufficient coal to supply the public needs if the men who wanted to work were given protection by the authorities. Their answer to Mitchell was:

"He has no right to come from Illinois to dictate terms on the acceptance of which anarchy and crime shall cease in Pennsylvania. He must stop his people from killing, maiming and abusing Pennsylvania citizens and destroying property. He must stop it because it is unlawful, and not of any bargain with us."

While each of the operators had his say, and all spoke to practically the same effect, Mitchell was the only spokesman for the miners. He kept cool and made a good impression upon President Roosevelt and his immediate advisers, Messrs. Knox and Wright. The position taken by Mitchell was assumed only after a long conference with Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. Mitchell apparently was much impressed with the gravity of the situation and appeared to be suffering from physical exhaustion. His manner and that of his associates was in marked contrast with the jaunty, almost flippant bearing of the coal operators.

Antagonists Did the Talking.

During the last conference the president had very little to say, except to ask questions here and there. Attorney General Knox did not make a remark and Mr. Wright only took part at one stage, what he said being to make a certain statement clearer.

The great interest felt in the president's efforts to end the strike and give the anxious public coal, was shown by the crowd that collected in front of the temporary White house. Several hundred persons thronged the sidewalk on both sides of the street and overlapped into Lafayette square. The White house was continually called on the telephone from distant cities by anxious inquirers for news. A force of police kept the crowd back from the White house steps, and during the afternoon, when Mrs. Roosevelt emerged to take a drive, she passed through a lane formed in the crowd, and everybody uncovered their heads as she went by. This was repeated when she returned, just before the breaking up of the conference, accompanied by her daughter, Ethel, who had come from school to spend Sunday.

Laconic Answers to Questions.

When the conference was over the operators were the first to appear. Eager questioners pressed around them for information.

"Not one word," said Mr. Thomas.

"I am deaf and dumb," said Mr. Markle.

"You might as well try to interview a stone," said Mr. Fowler.

Later on, President Baer, on his private car, said: "It was a song without words."

He was asked if there would be further conferences. "Not so far as we are concerned," he replied, and then added that he knew nothing about what anyone else would do.

When the representatives of the miners came down stairs from the conference they looked very grave. They had reached the foot of the staircase and were about to leave the building when Capt. Loeffler, the president's doorkeeper, hurried down stairs and signalled Mitchell to return. Mitchell went back to see the president and remained several minutes. The president thanked him for his courtesy in coming and for his bearing throughout the conference.

According to his own words, used to his visitors today, there is nothing the president can do further to relieve the situation.

"I disclaim," he said to his callers, "any right or duty to intervene upon legal grounds, or upon any official return that bears on the situation."

No Extra Session Probable.

There is naturally talk of an extra session of congress and extra session of the Pennsylvania legislature. President Roosevelt is not yet ready to issue a call for an extra session of congress, because no one has yet been able to point out to him what good could be accomplished by it.

Immediately after the conference adjourned President Roosevelt's physicians, Surgeon General Rixey and Dr. Lung, insisted on making an examination of his wound and redressing it. Apparently no ill effects had resulted from the excitement of the day and after a later call, at 8 o'clock, Dr. Lung announced that the president's condition was satisfactory.

Cassatt Was Not Present.

It was said tonight that President A. J. Cassatt of the Pennsylvania railroad did not attend the conference today, although invited, because he was detained in New York by very important business and that the Pennsylvania railroad was not so vitally interested as were the other railroads represented.

The suggestion was made in administration circles, though not as coming from the president, that the result of the conference had been to arouse and concentrate public sentiment.

One of the president's advisers intimated that some consideration had been given before the conference to the question of the future course of the administration in the event either party refused absolutely to do anything toward a settlement. He intimated that there was a possibility the interstate commerce commission might be able to take some steps with respect to carrying charges on the anthracite coal roads. Still, public sentiment, he added, was the chief resource of the president as to both parties to the strike.

NOTABLES IN SIGHT.

Two Atlantic Liners Lie Outside New York Harbor With Party of Prominent Persons Aboard.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Two transatlantic liners which were sighted off the port tonight bring a number of notable persons.

On the Cunard liner Campania, from Liverpool and Queenstown, are Great Britain's new ambassador to the United States, Sir Michael Herbert, accompanied by Lady Herbert; the British consul-general at New York, Sir Percy Sanderson; Maj. Flood-Page, managing director of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company, and Judge Peter S. Grosscup of Chicago.

The American liner Philadelphia, from Southampton and Cherbourg, brings Pietro Mascagni, the composer, and his wife, and Gen. William Booth, the founder and head of the Salvation army, who comes to make a tour of the United States and Canada.

GEN. HERRERA EXPLAINS.

Tells How Insurgents Came to Fire Upon Flag of Truce—Yankee Gunner's Work.

PANAMA, COLOMBIA, Oct. 3.—A gasoline launch brought into Panama this afternoon a small boat flying a white flag. In the boat was a messenger from the insurgent Gen. Herrera bearing a letter for Gen. Salazar, governor of Panama, in which Gen. Herrera explains how his troops came to fire last Saturday on the launch sent under the white flag by Gen. Salazar with the latter's answer to the insurgent general's peace proposal.

Gen. Herrera's messenger reports that the artillery fire of the American gunners on board the government gunboat Chucuito, at the time when the insurgents fired upon Gen Salazar's messenger, resulted in heavy losses to the insurgents.

Intended to Punish Spain.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—At the twentieth annual convention of the Christian and Missionary alliance today Rev. Henry Varley of London preached on "Slavery," and said that Providence had directed the hand that blew up the Maine in order that Spain might be punished on account of the slavery in Cuba.

Demand for English Gold.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—In its financial article this morning the Times says the demand for bar gold on American account remains as keen as ever, in spite of the rise in the bank's rate of discount, the firmness of sterling exchange and Secretary of the Treasury Shaw's "relief measures."

Hurt by Jumping from Flames.

BEAVER, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Charles P. Miller was working on a telephone line about 30 feet from the ground today, when the paraffine which he was using ignited and enveloped him in flames. In jumping to save himself he was caught by one of the spikes in a telegraph pole and one of his arms was almost torn off. He was removed to his home in New Castle.

Scrofula

Few are entirely free from it.

It may develop so slowly as to cause little if any disturbance during the whole period of childhood.

It may then produce irregularity of the stomach and bowels, dyspepsia, catarrh, and marked tendency to consumption before manifesting itself in much cutaneous eruption or glandular swelling.

It is best to be sure that you are quite free from it, and for its complete eradication you can rely on

Hood's Sarsaparilla

The best of all medicines for all humors.

STORES LIKELY TO BE CLOSED

Street Car Strike Is Ruining All Retail Business in New Orleans.

NEW PROPOSITION MADE

Employers Meet Representatives of Men and Offer to Arbitrate Differences — Trolley Wires Cut—No Attempt to Run Cars.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New Orleans, Oct. 3.—The street car strike situation took a new turn this afternoon, when the retail merchants of the city made a movement to renew arbitration. Retail trade has suffered greatly and the merchants met today and decided that, unless the strike shall be called off by Saturday night, they will close their establishments indefinitely, throwing out of employment about 5,000 clerks.

The merchants then brought about a conference of the mayor, railway officials and carmen, which began at 7 o'clock and lasted two hours. President Pearson of the Railways Company submitted a proposition that the men return to work and then arbitrate the alleged violations of the old agreement, the rate of wages and hours, to date from the time the men go back to work. The carmen's attorney urged their demand, which is in effect the same, except that the men shall be paid at the rate of 25 cents for eight hours, from the moment they return to work, the old agreement to hold good if it shall not be found to have been violated.

The carmen's committee went back to the union hall to submit the proposition to the men, and another meeting will be held later with the railway officials.

The Railways Company made no attempt to run passenger cars today. The mayor promised them protection whenever it was needed.

The only violence was the cutting of more trolley wires during last night, on Carrollton avenue.

UNIVERSITY MUST BE NON-SECTARIAN

Mrs. Stanford Addresses the Board on Recent Troubles of the College.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 3.—At a meeting of the trustees of Leland Stanford, Jr., university today Mrs. Jane Stanford read an address to the board setting forth her directions in the management of the university. The address bore on the recent troubles at Stanford resulting in the resignation of certain professors after the delivery of opinions which the university authorities thought in conflict with the interests of the university. Mrs. Stanford said, in part:

"During my administration the president of the university shall continue to have the exclusive control over the appointment and dismissal of professors and teachers, as he has had heretofore.

"The university must be forever maintained upon a strictly non-partisan and non-sectarian basis. It must never become an instrument in the hands of any political party or religious sect or organization.

"I desire that the university shall forever be kept out of politics and that no professor shall electioneer among or seek to dominate other professors or the students for the success of any political party or candidate in any political contest."

Mrs. Stanford announced that, pursuant to her power as the surviving founder of the university, she had selected Whitelaw Reid of New York and George E. Crothers of San Francisco as trustees to fill vacancies in the board.

Mrs. Stanford announced the letting of contracts for a gymnasium to cost about $500,000 and the approval of plans for a great library to accommodate more than 1,000,000 volumes and containing accommodations for 24 department libraries. There are now nearly $3,000,000 worth of buildings under construction, including the library, all of which are being paid for out of the income of the university endowment.

Braddock Bank Celebrates.

The First National bank of Braddock yesterday celebrated its twentieth anniversary and received a new charter. It was the first national bank in the Braddock district. It will now be privileged to use the new McKinley bank notes. It was chartered and went into business October 3, 1882, with Philander C. Knox, the present attorney general of the United States, as its first president.

Scholarship Holder Tries Suicide.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Bruce Ballard, who says he is a holder of one of the Gould scholarships in the New York university, was taken to Bellevue hospital tonight. According to Policeman Lenehan, the young man attempted to jump overboard from the ferryboat Midland.

SHAW NOT OVERRULED BY THE COMPTROLLER

Ridgely Says That He and Secretary of Treasury Are Agreed on Bank Reserve Question.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Comptroller of the Currency Ridgley today gave out the following statement:

"The report that I have overruled, or attempted to overrule, or shall attempt to overrule the secretary of the treasury in the matter of reserve on government deposits secured by government bonds, is wholly false and unfounded. Before the decision was reached and the announcement made by the secretary that no reserve need be maintained against government deposits secured by government bonds, the secretary and I several times had discussed the matter, and we are in full accord as to the policy of his announcement and the way it shall be carried out.

"The discretion is joint. The statute says: 'The comptroller of the currency may notify any association whose lawful reserve shall be below the amount above required to make good such reserve, and if such association shall fail for 30 days thereafter so to make good its reserve, the comptroller may, with the concurrence of the secretary of the treasury, appoint a receiver,' etc. The comptroller cannot act without the concurrence of the secretary of the treasury, and the secretary cannot act without the initiative of the comptroller. The discretion is, therefore, joint, and final decision must be with the secretary."

NEW TOBACCO COMBINE.

Independent Cigar Manufacturers Said to Have Organized to Combat Big International Trust.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—The Tribune will say tomorrow: To prevent the alleged tobacco trust from monopolising the raw material, the independent cigar manufacturers of the country have organized a $3,000,000 stock company to fight the combination. The new concern is being underwritten by the Union Trust Company of this city.

It is the intention to buy leaf tobacco direct from the grower, and thus cut off the profits of the middleman. As this is the method pursued by the alleged trust, the promoters hope that by adopting it they can find a way of successfully stopping the inroads of what they consider their common foe.

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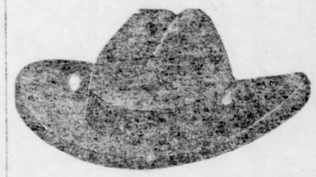

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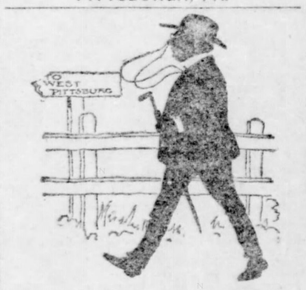

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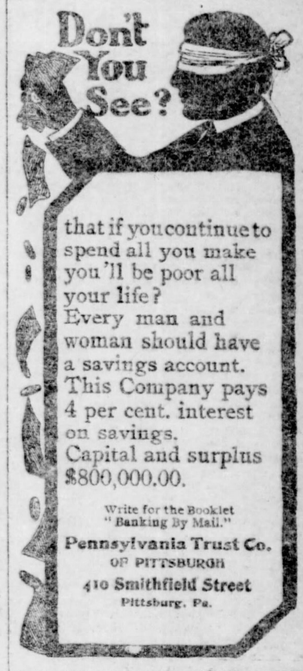

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QUAY'S BUTLER, BARBER AND WAITER WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT THE STRIKE

(By Special Wire From The Gazette's Philadelphia Bureau.)

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3.—Chairman Quay was at headquarters all day. He transacted a large amount of official business. Col. Quay was interested in the coal strike developments at Washington, and while he did not appear confident an agreement would be reached, he was very hopeful that such would be the result.

While in Washington yesterday the senator got in touch with strike sentiment. He was approached three times within an hour by people who are personally distressed over the situation. At the hotel where he lunched the head waiter asked if the strike would be settled. When informed that the senator did not know, the waiter said there would be a "revolution" unless the people got coal before the mercury dropped to the freezing point. Col. Quay's barber also wanted to know. He said the people were greatly excited and that the Paris commune would become an inconsequential reminiscence in comparison with what would happen in this country if the coal famine continues. When he reached his home on "K" street the coal problem hit the colonel still harder. His butler remarked that coal was needed and needed at once. The senator was surprised. He thought the winter supply was in the bins, it having been his custom to fill them during the summer. This year he neglected to do so and he discovered that it would cost $18 50 per ton, and only a few tons could be had even at that figure. Senator Quay was much impressed by his Washington experience; it convinced him that great distress and much suffering are inevitable.

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TURKISH SOLDIERS DEFEATED.

Brigands Wound an Officer and Kill Five Men.

ATHENS, Oct. 3.—A report has been received here from Thessaly that Turkish troops have had an unsuccessful encounter with a large band of brigands occupying a strong position near Grevenni, Macedonia, under the command of the notorious chief Pharmakis.

The officer commanding the Turks was wounded and five of his soldiers were killed. Pharmakis recently held several people for ransom.

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TO COMPROMISE WITH DEMOCRATS

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ANOTHER DEAL COMING

John A. Martin, Leader of the Victorious Democratic Faction, Satisfied to Accept One Citizens Candidate.

That the compromise expected to be made between the Citizens party and the Democrats in the Third legislative district need not wait until the "Jack" Dunn contest has been decided by the courts is an opinion strongly entertained by leaders of the Citizens party. The Dauphin county court heard the contest brought by the John A. Martin faction against the Boyle faction, placed the Martin candidates on the Democratic ticket and decided the fusion candidates irregular. If these names go on the official ballot there will be three sets of legislative candidates running in the Third district—the machine, the Citizens party and the Democratic candidates.

To avoid splitting the anti-machine vote it is probable that the Democrats will compromise with the Citizens and that one of the regular candidates will withdraw from the Democratic ticket in favor of one of the Citizens party's men; but the chief obstacle in the way of such a compromise is the contest brought by so-called Democrats at the order of the machine against both the Martin and the Boyle faction's candidates. Some of the Citizens party's leaders are in favor of making no compromise until the court has decided the Jack Dunn contest, believing that the court may throw out the candidates whom it has formally placed on the Democratic ticket.

Stengel Thinks It Settled.

G. H. Stengel is one man who believes that the court by recognizing the regular candidates has decided the question for good and that the Jack Dunn contest will be dismissed. If other Citizens leaders agree with Mr. Stengel any compromise desired to be effected with the Democrats of the Third district need wait no longer.

It is said that one of the Citizens candidates will consent to withdraw from the ticket, and that one of the Democrats can also be induced to refuse to run, so that a ticket can be made up of the other two candidates. Alderman John A. Martin is in favor of a compromise. He said yesterday that he had always been in favor of a Third district legislative ticket composed of a Democrat and a Citizen, and he still favored that plan.

A. C. Robertson, chairman of the machine county committee, said yesterday that Senator M. S. Quay had notified him that the date, October 24, set for the machine meeting, suits him very well and that he will be present to preside over it. The meeting will be held in Carnegie hall.

Citizens and Machine Meetings.

Numerous meetings were held last night by the Citizens party and the machine. The Citizens held gatherings in Fraternal hall, McKees Rocks; in McKenzie hall, Aspinwall; in the Grant school, Third ward, Alderman John Groetzinger, presiding; in the Brushton school, Thirty-seventh ward, and the Fifteenth and Sixteenth wards, Allegheny. The Democrats held a big meeting in the Ralston school. Among the candidates on the fusion ticket who spoke was George H. Stengel.

The Citizens party will have a rally in Glenwood tonight. It will be an open-air demonstration, and H. Kirk Porter, R. H. Douglas, Jere Doherty, Charles Whitesides and W. J. Brennen will speak. Other Citizens party meetings will be held in Montooth borough, at Bayne postoffice and in the Thirteenth ward, Allegheny.

The machine county committee is confident that the meeting to be held in the opera house at Natrona tonight will be a well attended one. Congressman William H. Graham and other machine candidates will speak.

Negro Ex-Congressman to Speak.

On Thursday, October 9, George H. White of North Carolina, a former negro congressman, will address a meeting in the machine auditorium in Sixth avenue, under the auspices of the Afro-American league. The machine has scheduled other meetings as follows:

Fair Haven, Baldwin township, October 24—Speakers, George J. Churchill, L. B. Cook and Archibald Mackrell.

Wednesday, October 15, in Farley's hall, Boston, Elizabeth township—Speakers, Fred W. Edwards, Col. W. E. Thompson, George W. Foster and T. J. Ford.

Friday, October 24, in Odd Fellows' hall, Castle Shannon, at 7:30 p. m.—Speakers, L. L. Davis, Joseph R. McQuaide, George W. Foster and R. H. Jackson.

Saturday evening, October 18, in the Bank and Trust Company's hall, Coraopolis—Speakers, Dr. A. J. Barchfeld, the Hon. Henry Hall, Col. W. E. Thompson, George Churchill and Arch Mackrell.

The Millvale Democratic club of the Seventh legislative district has established headquarters for the campaign in the offices of Justice A. J. Needlins.

There will be a machine Republican meeting in the Sharpsburg Y. M. C. A. auditorium on Thursday evening, October 23, preceded by a parade.

READY FOR THE WEDDING.

Potter-Clark Marriage to Be Performed in Bower of Flowers.

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Preparations are practically completed for the wedding of Mrs. Clark and Bishop Potter at noon tomorrow. The ceremony will be performed in Christ Episcopal church, which is directly across the street from Fernleigh, the Clark mansion.

The church tonight is a bower of flowers and tropical plants.

Oil Surveyors in California.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Surveyors are at work in the interest of J. P. Morgan and associates, running lines to the ocean from Coaling, McKittrick, Sunset, Miday and Kern river oil fields of California to determine the most feasible route of oil transportation to tidewater. A $20,000,000 company is to be organized, which will be able to handle 2,000,000 barrels during the first year and will increase the output according to the requirements of the market.

Unitarian Conference Meets.

MEADVILLE, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The middle states conference of the Unitarian church held a special meeting here today with a good attendance. The session on missionary work in Western Pennsylvania was led by the Rev. E. M. Wilbur, Meadville; the Rev. L. W. Mason, Pittsburgh, and the Rev. Leon A. Harvey, Erie. Addresses were delivered by the Rev. S. R. Cuthrup of Syracuse, N. Y., and Prof. F. A. Christie of the Meadville Theological school.

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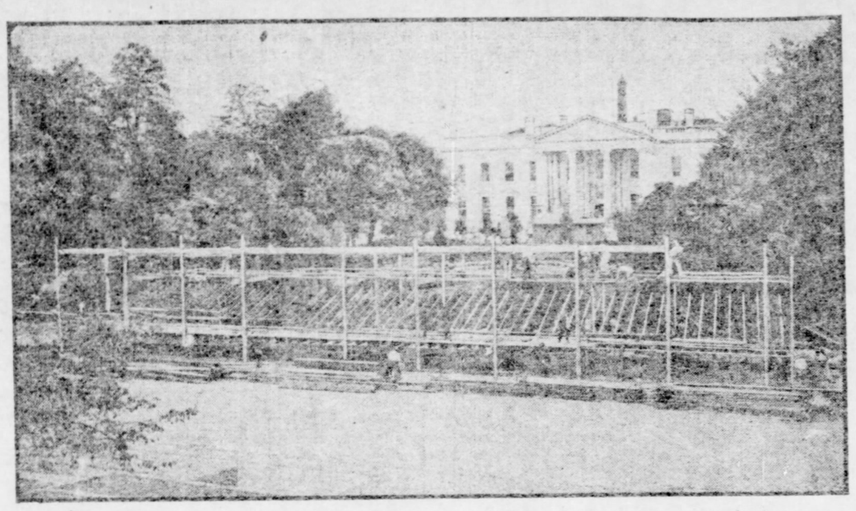

Grandstand in Front of the White House, Where President Roosevelt and Cabinet Will View the Parade Next Week.

COMPANY REPRESENTATIVES ASK MILITARY FORCE

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ings against the illegal organization known as the United Mine Workers' organization; its well-known officers, agents and members to enjoin and restrain permanently it and them from continuing this organization and requiring them to desist immediately from conspiring, conniving, aiding or abetting the outlawery and intolerable conditions in the anthracite regions for which they and they alone are responsible. We are advised by our counsel that such civil action will lie on the part of the United States government.

Third—Then, Mr. President, there is a great, a pressing duty imposed upon us at this time to thousands of true loyal citizens of Pennsylvania who have been lawfully pursuing their various avocations or professions under great difficulties and who with great sacrifice have been abused, vilified, boycotted and in many cases almost ruined because they had the manhood to raise their voices against the illegal acts and violences of this illegal organization and its officers and agents. No step can be taken by us, Mr. President, which can possibly result in placing these good citizens of Pennsylvania at the further mercy of this illegal organization, its officers and members.

Mr. President, we firmly believe that any adjustment of this matter as has been suggested here today, will only result in perpetuating conditions that are utterly abhorrent to any good American citizen and most intolerable and damaging to the interests which I represent. We cannot, therefore, concur therein.

A Lawyer's Appeal.

David Wilcox, vice president and general counsel of Delaware & Hudson Railroad Company—The object and practice of the miners' association are, so far as possible, to regulate the supply of labor engaged in the occupation of coal mining through the county and the terms of employment thereof. It consists of one central organization which restrains and controls the production of fuel everywhere throughout the country and monopolizes the labor engaged therein. These are its purposes and results. Its ultimate object is to control the entire fuel supply of the country. It is, therefore, the most extensive combination and monopoly which the country has ever known.

The association and all of its members constitute a combination of conspiracy not only at common law, but also in restraint of trade and commerce among the several states, and also an attempt to monopolize the labor necessary in supplying coal found in one state to the markets of other states, and thus to monopolize this part of the commerce among the several states.

The courts have already many times held that such a combination is unlawful within the act of congress of July 2, 1890, passed for the purpose of preventing restraints of interstate commerce and known as the "Sherman anti-trust law." Counsel for the national government is, therefore, to proceed in accordance with the precedent in the Debs case. These considerations were called to the attention of the president and the attorney general last June.

In order, however, that this company may be under no charge of unwillingness to endeavor in good faith to remedy any grievances which may exist upon the part of its employes at its several collieries, it is willing that the same shall be ultimately passed upon by the judges of the court of common pleas of the state of Pennsylvania for the district where such collieries are situated.

Thomas R. Fowler, president of the New York, Ontario & Western Railroad Company—I fully concur in the statements submitted at this time by the other gentlemen whom we have invited to be present at today's conference. I, however, ask leave to present my views more fully at a later day, and hope to have in your hands early next week a statement presenting in some detail the serious situation and conditions prevailing throughout the anthracite coal regions at the present time.

BUDDING NAPOLEON IS NIPPED IN THE BUD

Diamond Bedecked Youth in Jail on Charge of Running Big Swindle.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Another budding Napoleon of finance saw his career ingloriously checked when Ronald J. Brennan, 22 years old, was lodged in the Raymond Street jail, in Brooklyn.

"Enough has come to light already," said District Attorney Clarke of Kings county, "to show that this youngster, who wore diamonds, kept a valet and drove fast horses, has gained by his swindling operations within six months not less than $50,000."

Young Brennan's genius developed with almost as precocious rapidity as did that of "Franklin Syndicate Miller." Barely two years elapsed between chrysalis and the butterfly stages of his career. In that period, from a real estate office boy at $1 a week, he became president of the Brooklyn Bond and Mortgage Title Company with tastefully furnished offices. The whole scheme is alleged to be a rank fraud.

Beaver Wedding Announced.

The marriage of Miss Alberta O. McDonald and William Work of West Newton, Pa., will occur next Thursday at 5 p. m. at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Harry O. Craighead, No. 1522 Fourth avenue, Beaver Falls. It will be a quiet home wedding, only members of the immediate family to be present. The prospective bride is a member of the First Baptist church choir of Beaver Falls, and is well known throughout the Beaver valley, while the groom is a well-known druggist of West Newton, Westmoreland county.

Army Officer for Grove City.

GROVE CITY, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Capt. A. H. Martin of the Nineteenth infantry, U. S. A., has been assigned to take charge of the military department of Grove City college. Capt. Martin is a native Pittsburgher and a graduate of West Point. Three years ago, when the cadets were at the inauguration of President McKinley, the secretary of war became interested in them with the result that Capt. Martin was assigned to this point.

To Bang Valley Furnaces.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The coke famine in the Mahoning and Shenango valleys was never so bad as at present. The week has gone by with the combined shipments of less than one day's supply. All the operators are preparing for the worst and the wholesale banking of furnaces will take place before Sunday night. Struthers is the only furnace which has been banked this week.

Peruvian Cabinet May Resign.

LIMA, PERU, Oct. 3.—It is probable that the Peruvian cabinet will resign in consequence of a joint motion of censure of the government adopted in secret session this afternoon by both houses of congress.

UNIONTOWN BOY KILLED BY HORSE

Arthur McCormick Dragged to Death While Exercising Yearling on Madden Farm.

FRIGHT CAUSES DEATH

Doctor Finds no Bruises on Lad's Body—Father is Blind Contractor—Son Runs Away and Makes Home in Pittsburgh.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 3.—Arthur McCormick, a Pittsburgh lad, was killed today while exercising a thoroughbred yearling colt at the Hamburg place of John E. Madden.

The boy was thrown and his foot caught in the stirrup. The colt dragged him some 300 yards, but his body is not bruised, and the physician called by Manager Hiram Steele says that he died of heart failure, caused by fright.

Arthur came to Hamburg place two months ago and asked for employment. He told his associates that he had run away from home and that his father was a prominent contractor in the Smoky City. A letter was found in his trunk addressed to Mrs. D. Harrison, 210 Dinwiddie street, Pittsburgh.

His body was turned over to the coroner, and an attempt made to communicate with relatives or friends.

Arthur McCormick, aged about 17 years, was a son of W. C. McCormick, the Uniontown contractor. Friends in this city were notified and through them intelligence of the accident was communicated to the boy's father at Uniontown.

The boy was diminutive, his weight being only about 85 pounds. He had conceived the idea of being a jockey and was training at the Madden place for that purpose when the accident occurred. For about three years he had been a rover, and had visited many parts of the country by riding on freight cars. He left his home, he claimed, on account of unkind treatment at the hands of his father and had made Pittsburgh his headquarters most of the time. He roomed in Grant street for some time and for a time worked in laying tile in the Frick building.

W. C. McCormick, his father, is a well-to-do contractor, following that business despite blindness. He gained much notoriety a few years ago through indictment by the grand jury of the murder of Mrs. Minerva Monahan of Uniontown, but he was acquitted of the charge. George McCormick, a brother of the contractor, was at that time sheriff of Fayette county.

NOT SMALLPOX.

Man Sentenced to the Workhouse Caused Great Uneasiness.

Something of a sensation was created yesterday by a report that a man suffering with smallpox had been arraigned in criminal court sentenced to the workhouse and taken to that institution in a crowded car.

George W. Dandridge, colored, was the man over whom the scare was created. He was sentenced to eight months in the workhouse. At that place Superintendent Hall said the man had smallpox and refused to admit him. Dandridge was brought back to the jail, to be sent to the municipal hospital. City Physician Booth examined Dandridge and said he had nothing except a skin disease. The prisoner was admitted to the workhouse last evening.

QUESTION OF HOME.

Snyder Trial Taken Up With Arguments and Testimony on Residence.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 3.—The Robert M. Snyder bribery trial was devoted today to the question of the residence of the accused. The Missouri law says

"In all cases, the time during which any defendant shall not have been an inhabitant of or usually resident within this state shall not constitute any part of the limitations. The period of limitations for bribery is three years."

The state today offered testimony that Snyder is a resident of New York, the judge having decided that the question of fact should go to the jury.

Pheasant in a Court House.

BEAVER, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—This morning James Caughey, deputy clerk of courts, heard a crashing of glass in one of the office windows at the court house, and rushed to see the cause of it, only to find a full grown pheasant lying stunned upon the floor. Mr. Caughey had pheasant for dinner.

PRESIDENT BAER'S LETTER BITTER AGAINST MITCHELL

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suppress domestic violence." You see there is a lawful way to secure coal for the public.

The duty of the hour is not to waste time negotiating with the fomenters of this anarchy and insolent defiance of law, but to do as was done in the war of the rebellion—restore the majesty of law, the only guardian of a free people, and to re-establish order and peace at any cost.

The government is a contemptible failure if it can only protect the lives and property, and secure the comfort of the people by compromising with the violators of law and the instigators of violence and crime.

Just now it is more important to teach ignorant men dwelling among us, misled and used as tools by citizens of other states, that at whatever cost and inconvenience to the public, Pennsylvania will use the whole power of government to protect not only the man who wants to work, but his wife and children while he is at work, and to punish every man who by instigation or by overt acts attempts to deprive any man of his liberty to work.

Under these conditions, we decline to accept Mr. Mitchell's considerate offer to let our men work on terms he names. He has no right to come from Illinois to dictate terms on the acceptance of which anarchy and crime shall cease in Pennsylvania. We must stop his people from killing, maiming and abusing Pennsylvania citizens, and from destroying property. He must stop it because it is unlawful and not because I am going to bargain with him.

We will add to our offer "to continue the wages existing at the time of strike and to take up at each colliery and adjust any grievance that may exist." If there be differences between employers and employes at any particular colliery cannot reach a satisfactory adjustment of any alleged grievances, it shall be referred to the judge of the court of common pleas of the district in which the colliery is situated for final determination.

SHARPSBURG FRONTAGE SOLD.

Pittsburgh Railways Company to Erect Large Car Barn on Site.

The Pittsburgh Railways Company has taken option on a large piece of property in Main street, Sharpsburg, adjoining the new river bridge at Twentieth street, on which it is said they intend erecting a large car barn. The property optioned fronts 100 feet in Main street and extends back to the river. The price agreed upon is said to be above the market price of property in the district. It is also rumored that several radical changes will be made in the system of running cars into Sharpsburg.

It is said the traction company is contemplating running all Butler street and Sharpsburg cars up the Morningside road over the new bridge and make a continuous loop through Sharpsburg, then to the Bridge street bridge, Sharpsburg, bringing Aspinwall into the loop by means of a dummy branch line. Another report is the loop will continue through Etna and a part of the cars go by way of the Bridge street bridge.

BROOKER STOCKWELL FAILS.

Was Associate of Jay Gould and Other Big Speculators.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—A. B. Stockwell, a member of the Consolidated stock exchange, has announced his inability to meet his contracts. The amount involved is not yet known. Stockwell was at one time a leading broker in Wall street.

He was associated with Jay Gould, Henry N. Smith, Charles J. Osborn and Addison Cammack and was at one time president of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company.

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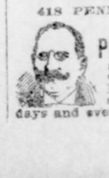
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BRITISH CLAMOR ABOUT COMBINE

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POKE FUN AT BALFOUR

Each Nation Must Hustle to Get All it Can—Cunard Bit Small. Line to Canada Has Not Been Arranged.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

London, Oct. 4.—The Saturday Review, commenting on the government's shipping agreements, says:

"The retention of the Cunard company does something for British trade, but the agreement with the shipping combination has no such protective effect." The paper ridicules the argument of Gerald W. Balfour, president of the board of trade, about conceding a fair share of the Atlantic trade to America, and says:

"Mr. Balfour seems desirous of emulating the legendary politeness of the British at Fontenoy with their request that the French fire first. That is not business and it was not the American's idea of business when they planned the combination. Mr. Balfour's doctrine a priori of fair share of trade is absurd. Every nation will try to get as much as it can regardless of our people's fair share."

The Associated Press is in a position to deny the statement of the Daily Despatch of Manchester, that the terms of a British syndicate for the establishment of a fast steamship service between Canada and England have been accepted. Nothing in this connection is expected to be settled for some time, and it is considered likely in shipping circles that the establishment of a Canada-Jamaica service may take precedence over the proposed Canada-England line.

COMPROMISE IS PROPOSED.

Cunningham's Friends Made an Offer to Acheson

BEAVER, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—It leaked out today that Frank Penn, chairman of the Washington county Republican committee; J. F. Reed of this place, attorney for Congressman Acheson; Hartford P. Brown, chairman of the Beaver county Republican committee, and D. A. Nelson, on behalf of J. H. Cunningham, held a conference with Col. Quay here last Tuesday night.

It is said that the parties acting in the interests of Cunningham made the following proposition to the friends of Acheson: That Cunningham withdraw all opposition to Acheson for congress, on condition that Quay and Acheson agree to give Beaver county the next congressman, and in the meantime throw the patronage of Beaver county and the senatorial district to Cunningham and his friends. The proposition was submitted to Acheson, but as far as known he has not agreed to it.

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If you prefer to anticipate winter all our lines of heavy coats are ready.

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Bnt as those dressy topcoats are now on top—either the extremely long, the three-quarter length, or the little short coat—it is of them we wish to speak.

Very few men but what like to look dapper. Granted that some run the thing into the ground, as, for instance, the Englisman who died the other day and was credited with buying 570 pairs of trousers a year, that is not to be taken in disparagement of men alway looking neat.

This is a betwixt and between period of the year—a winter overcoat is too heavy, and no overcoat is ridiculous. So that now men who like to make a good appearance have recourse to the lightweight natty topcoats.

Provision in our Clothing Department, this year, in the matter of these lightweights, has been lavish. There is every style that elderly or young men will wear.

Let us investigate the prices together.

Take $10 as a start. Many men think a serviceable topcoat cannot be purchased for such a little sum. It cannot in most places. But here it is different. For $10 we have three-quarter length coats of cheviot, both in black and oxford. This is a coat that is particularly good looking on elderly men.

For the same price we have stacks of short coats for young men and youngish elderly men—box coats in the popular dark tan.

For the same price, in Winter Overcoats, there are heavy friezes, beavers, kerseys, in black, gray and blue.

Next we go to $15—the most popular price for an all-around topcoat. Three-quarter black undressed worsted topcoat, as dapper a coat as any man ever had on.

At the same price of $15 the box coats are dark gray whipcords, olive green, tan and light brown coverts, besides fancy mixtures.

In the heavy winter Overcoats at the price of $15, there are heavy meltons in oxford gray, black worsted cheviots, and black and oxford friezes, mostly with velvet collar, but some with collar of self.

For $18 there are the three-quarter topcoats of oxford gray cheviot, which are silk-faced to edge. This is an ultra stylish coat.

Then there are the short box topcoats in various shades of tan, olive and brown, in all the over-coating stuffs used for short coats.

In winter weights all the cloths mentioned above, but of finer grades.

For $20, $22, $25 and up to $33, many different styles of the short and long coats, including the new opera coat, which is the most prepossessing dress topcoat yet seen.

It will scarcely be news to men to hint that for the new Autumn Suit there are more thousands of suits than we ever before attempted to carry. And that everything about these suits, from the least expensive to finest, must be just so, or it has no place in this big Clothing Department.

Women's Initialed Handkerchiefs 15c Each.

As very few women buy one or two at a time, the best way is to take half a dozen for 75c.

The initial is hand-embroidered, surrounded by spray, and the cloth is pure Irish linen.

Anyone will say the handkerchief is good value for 25c.

The New Shawls.

Best of feminine companions for the Autumn evenings—a throw-around for all run-about occasions.

More diversified lines than ever—everything from the big double shawl to the neat little shoulder shawl.

Woolen Shawls—both single and double—gray, brown and black, also fancy plaids—$2.50, $3.50 and on up to $12.

Beaver Shawls, something finer, tan, gray, brown and black, $3 to $15.

Neat little Shoulder Shawls from $75 to $2.

Men's $1 Percale Shirts.

Unequaled among colored shirts at the price. In these Autumn days they are the logical successors to the Negligee Shirt that has done brave service all Summer.

New patterns, quiet and well chosen, are shown in these shirts, and there is a multitude of these new patterns. They are all stripes and figures in blue, black or red, just right for business wear.

The percale is the best ever put into a shirt at this price. All sizes—and accurate, well proportioned sizes at that. Detachable or attached cuffs, $1 each.

Women's New Fall Waists

are so plentiful here that in walking about on the second floor one is liable to stumble over them.

The cases and the racks are full—behind the scenes where you can't see—hundreds and hundreds of waists waiting to show their faces.

Two numbers you might ask specially to see—they are great for the money.

The first, a new tailor-made Waist of figured Pique, front made of pleats, the back plain; stock collar with ties in white. $2.50.

The second, a Brilliantine Waist, the front of six wide tucks, finished with fine stitching; back plain. White with black dot, black with white dot, plain navy and plain black.

Monte Carlo Coats $12.

And the material is Black Peau de Soie.

Rather a modest price for a coat, especially a Monte Carlo of peau de soie.

It has inverted pleat in back, bell shaped sleeves, military collar, fastened down front with black braid ornaments. Entirely lined with satin.

Our Monte Carlo Coats and 27-inch Box Coats in tan, castor, blue, brown and black kersey cloth, finished with strap seams, and each lined with self colored satin, at $10, $12.50, $15 and up to $65.

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs Half Prices and Less.

The manufacturer calls them seconds. That's his privilege. Probably he is a little whimsical.

Some 2,400 that our buyer took from a Belfast manufacturer, simply because he said they were seconds, and would sell for half what he charged for firsts.

They are ready today—fine big handkerchiefs with the neatest of narrow hems.

In making a close examination the only reason we can find for their being dubbed seconds is that some of them may be an eighth of an inch or so off being perfectly square, and some others may have a heavy thread here and there.

Look particularly for any defects and see how close you come to finding any.

If they were in a lot called firsts they would sell for 25c and easily along to 60c each.

Choice today 15c and 20c each.

Heavier Underwear for Men.

The full stock is in. You might as well have the pleasure of first pick. Less crowded now, too—plenty of time to look over things.

We have taken much pains with the little things—with the measurements, the proportions, the fit, the seams.

Men's Underwear from $1 the garment up to $17.

Gray merino undergarments, $1 each.
Brown merino undergarments, $1.25 each.
White merino undergarments, $1 25 and $1.75 each.
Gray merino undergarments, $1.50 and $2 each.
Natural wool undergarments, $2 each.
German balbriggan undergarments, $1.25 each.
English balbriggan undergarments, $1.50 each.

Some of the prices detailed:

Better qualities up to the very finest made, including Allen, Solly & Co., of London, I. & R. Morley and Dr. Jaeger's Sanitary Underwear. All at lowest prices.

Again, New Silk Waists.

More silk waists are here than we had by the 1st of November last year.

This latest arrival is a taffeta waist in shirtwaist style, but quite adaptable for evening wear.

Beautiful pale green, pale blue, and pure white. Becomingly trimmed with heavy white lace, together with tucks.

The price is $12.50, and it is about the nicest we ever had for that money.

A New Walking Skirt and a New Dress Skirt.

$8.50 is the price of the new Walking Skirt. Covert cloth—either tan or gray. Thirteen gores and slot seams.

$13.50 is the price of the new Dress Skirt. Made of black broadcloth. The seams finished with braid.

No possible chance of your going wrong in choosing a separate skirt, if you come to us. Every new style that has come out for this Autumn season.

PENN AND FIFTH.

FASTEST GOLF EVER SEEN HERE

Porter Was Defeated by Byers After 20 Holes of Brilliant Play.

RECORD WAS EQUALED

After Leading Long Contest Porter Drove Into Bunker. W. C. Fownes, Jr., Beat Horne and Meets Byers Today.

The fastest golf ever played in Western Pennsylvania resulted in the semi-final match for the amateur championship yesterday, E. M. Byers, the present title holder, defeating J. E. Porter one up in 20 holes, after each had negotiated the course in 75 strokes, 2 under "bogey" and equal to the best tournament record for the 18 holes. Porter had but 2 holes over bogey in the entire 18, while Byers had 4. It was the hardest defeat Porter ever suffered, for after leading or holding the champion even during the entire match after the first hole he lost on the second extra hole by driving plumb into the bunker.

W. C. Fownes, Jr., of the Highland club defeated B. S. Horne of Allegheny by 4 up and 3 to play in the other semi-final match for the championship, and today Fownes, who was runner-up against Byers last season at Schenley park, will again meet him in the final 36-hole match.

Same Contestants Last Year.

Last season Byers defeated Fownes by 13 up and 12 to play, taking the first eight holes straight and finishing the first 18 11 up. For the second cup today J. H. Hill of Edgewood will meet J. O'Hara Denny of Westmoreland, while for the third trophy J. D. Duff of Edgewood will play G. W. Wurzell of the same club.

The stubborn match between Byers and Porter yesterday will almost without a doubt remain as the greatest match of the tournament just as it is the greatest ever played in Pittsburgh. The 75-stroke record is the best either has ever made the course in and far lower than anything ever made in match play. The remarkable eveness of the play, as much as its brilliancy, held the interest of the gallery, which followed the contest in spite of the cool winds and rain.

Byers Holed Some Long Puts.

Aside from Porter's misplay into the bunker, Byers won more than anything else on several long putts, which were far ahead of anything Porter displayed. The play was remarkably free from mistakes. Porter lost two holes on poor drives. Byers suffered equally, driving into the trees on the third hole and gain into the trees on the third hole and again rebounded 40 yards in trying to get out of the difficulty.

In the Horne-Fownes match Fownes was 2 up at the turn and clinched the match by some strong golf, taking the thirteenth in 3, two under bogey, and the next in 4, one under.

The scores of the two semi-final matches:

Byers, out	4	4	6	4	3	4	4	5	4	—38	
Byers, in	3	6	4	4	4	5	3	4	4	—37	75
Porter, out	5	4	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	—37	
Porter, in	3	5	4	5	5	4	3	5	4	—38	75

Extra holes, Byers 5, 4 and 1 up, 20 holes; Porter 5, 5.

W. C. Fownes, Jr., and B. S. Horne:

Fownes, out	4	5	7	4	3	5	4	4	4	—40
Fownes, in	4	5	5	3	5	4	4			—25 65
Horne, out	4	5	6	4	4	4	5	5	5	—42
Horne, in	2	6	5	4	5	4				—26 68

Summary of matches:

Championship singles, first round:

J. E. Porter beat O. D. Thompson, 2 up and 1 to play.

E. M. Byers defeated E. E. Giles, 4 up and 3 to play.

B. S. Horne defeated John Moorhead, Jr., by 5 up and 4 to play.

W. C. Fownes, Jr., defeated C. A. Ormiston by 4 up and 3 to play.

Second cup, first round:

J. S. Martin, Highland, beat C. B. Fownes, Highland, 1 up in 19 holes.

J. H. Hill, Edgewood, defeated T. K. Laughlin, Pittsburgh, 3 up and 2 to play.

J. O'H. Denny won from C. L. Shannon by default.

W. C. Fownes, Highland, defeated H. C. Fownes, Highland, by 2 up and 1 to play.

Semi-final round:

Martin beat Hill, 4 up and 3 to play.

J. O'H. Denny defeated W. C. Fownes, 5 up and 1 to play.

For third cup, first round:

J. D. Bradley, Edgewood, defeated F. H. Lloyd, A. C. C., by 2 up and 1 to play.

J. D. Duff, Edgewood, beat H. R. Rea, by 8 up and 4 to play.

J. T. Moore, Westmoreland, beat W. J. Patton, A. C. C., by 3 up and 1 to play.

G. W. Wurzell, Edgewood, defeated J. C. Thaw, Pittsburgh, by 4 up and 3 to play.

Semi-final round:

Duff beat Bradley by 5 up and 4 to play.

Wurzell beat Moore by 4 up and 3 to play.

EIGHTY-THREE ENTERED.

Large Field Will Compete in Handicap This Afternoon.

The 18-hole handicap for the president cup, offered by John Moorhead, Jr., on the Allegheny Country club course this afternoon has attracted a record list of 83 entries. Contestants will select their own partners and are requested, wherever possible, to play in the morning, as the course will be congested in the afternoon. The contestants in the final cup matches are not eligible. The full list with handicaps which may in some cases be changed by the committee, is as follows: E. M. Byers plus 2 strokes, J. E. Porter plus 2 and scratch, G. A. Ormiston, Highland; B. S. Horne, John Moorhead, Jr., and O. D. Thompson, Allegheny; H. C. Fownes, C. B. Fownes and W. C. Fownes, Highland; handicap 4, E. E. Giles, J. T. Moore, Westmoreland; W. C. Fenes and J. S. Martin, Highland; L. Dilworth, Pittsburgh; handicap 5, G. R. Harvey, Edgewood; W. S. Eyster, Edgeworth; J. C. Oliver and W. N. Murray, Allegheny; W. S. King, Jr., and T. K. Laughlin, Pittsburgh; handicap 6, J. O'H. Denny, Westmoreland; John Duff, Edgewood; George P. Elkins, W. R. Blair, Pittsburgh; Walter Thayer, Allegheny; handicap 7, S. S. Liggett, Edgeworth; G. Wurzell, J. H. Hill, Edgewood; C. L. Shannon, Edgeworth; J. G. Anderson, Edgewood; F. H. Denny, H. R. Rea, W. Robertson, Allegheny; W. M. Laughlin, Jr., C. Shaw, Pittsburgh; handicap 8, F. A. Lloyd, H. D. McCandless, Allegheny; R. V. Messler, Pittsburgh; handicap 9, W. H. Haines, W. P. McVay, Raymond Murray, Edgeworth; W. J. Patton, M. Christy, Allegheny; handicap 10, F. C. Ewart, Edgeworth; W. G. Carr, F. S. Viele, W. T. Drill, W. S. Stevenson, Westmoreland; E. Z. Smith, Highland; W. H. Duff, Edgewood; F. N. Hutchinson, O. Robinson, Edgeworth; P. X. Barr, Edgewood; F. S. George, Allegheny; W. N. Frew, T. M. Marshall, Jr., Thomas Rodd, A. B. Shepherd, Pittsburgh; W. W. Patterson, Edgewood; handicap 12, W. W. Woodruff, Westmoreland; E. L. Allen, Highland; A. L. George, Edgeworth; E. H. Brainard, Pittsburgh; H. Howard, Jr., D. C. Byers, H. Sproul, Allegheny; handicap 14, B. C. Bakewell, Westmoreland; A. G. Roenigk, Highland; J. R. Taylor, H. A. Martin, Nelson Young, Pittsburg; R. W. Flenniken, Allegheny; handicap 15, D. D. Pendleton, W. W. McConway, Jr., Westmoreland; George R. Buchan, G. W. Porter, Pittsburgh; C. M. McCandless, Allegheny; handicap 16, B. H. Evans, Pittsburgh; H. H. Robinson, G. B. Painter, Allegheny; handicap 18, W. N. Kerr, Edgeworth; S. N. Etter, G. S. Oliver, G. N. Nicola, Allegheny.

Excursion to Chicago.
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LATEST NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

EFFORT TO CONVICT A CHILD OF MURDER

Washington County Coroner Puzzled Over Shooting of a Girl.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Oct. 3.—Coroner Fitzpatrick is puzzled over the strange case of supposed murder at Dunlevy on Tuesday afternoon. Annie Colvin, aged 12, was shot through the left breast and killed, it is believed, by an Italian girl, Jennie Juliana, aged 11. The Juliana girl was the only other occupant of the house of Joseph Nocenti, where the killing occurred. At the coroner's investigation Jennie claimed the other girl had accidentally shot herself, and that she did not tell anyone, fearing that her sister, Mrs. Nocenti, would whip her for letting the other child get the gun.

It was shown by measurements made by the coroner that it was impossible for the girl to shoot herself, and as Jennie was the only other occupant of the house, she was held accountable.

Coroner Fitzpatrick stated today that while he was confident that the Juliana girl did the shooting, little could be proved against her, as no one witnessed the shooting and the girl persisted in claiming that it was an accident. It is the general belief that the children had a quarrel.

Coroner Fitzpatrick was in conference with District Attorney Underwood for several hours today, but what the result was neither would say.

FACTIONAL FIGHTS END.

West Virginia Republican State Senatorial Candidates Withdraw in Interest of Harmony.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The dual Republican nominations for state senator in three districts, brought about by factional fights, were disposed of today by the state central committee, aided by Senator Elkins and other prominent leaders of the party.

In the Third district, where four Republicans had been nominated to fill two senatorships, one was selected from each ticket, Charles T. Caldwell and T. A. Brown being accepted and the others will withdraw. In the Sixth district both candidates were withdrawn and the Rev. W. H. Cook was named to fill the vacancy. In the Eleventh the nomination of C. W. Swisher and Ira Robinson was indorsed and recognized. Cook is to vote for whomsoever the next senatorial convention in his district indorses for United States senator. The Caldwell committee was recognized in the Third district.

SMALLPOX AMONG DELEGATES.

Victim Rides on Train With Christian Endeavor Union Members.

ZANESVILLE, O., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The features of the second day's session of the Ohio Christian Endeavor union were the arrival of National President Frances E. Clark of Boston; a mild smallpox scare, developed from the fact that a glass blower from Indiana afflicted with the disease in the primary stage, arrived in the city last night with a train load of delegates; the contest between Akron and Elyria for the convention of 1903, and a virtual decision to change the convention time back to midsummer, so as not to deprive the teachers and pupils of the public schools of the privilege of attending.

Dr. Clark entered the hall this morning and was greeted with great applause. "Home, Sweet Home" was sung in honor of his return from Europe.

A handsome banner was presented to the Montgomery county delegation, that county having made the largest proportionate increase in missionary contributions.

TO RELIEVE COAL FAMINE.

B. & O. Wants to Borrow Engines and Cars From the Reading.

CLARKSBURG, W. VA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—A big coal operator, representing coal companies of this section, went to Washington today to confer with President Roosevelt on the coal shortage. It is said the companies have a solution of the coal famine, and they are going to try and get the president to intercede for them.

The coal companies have been in communication with President George F. Baer of the Reading railroad system, urging him to let the Baltimore & Ohio railroad have a number of idle engines and coal cars from his railroad to get coal to the eastern markets from here.

DOWN TO THE FINALS.

Misses Hicker and Wells Will Contest for Golf Championship.

BROOKLINE, MASS., Oct. 3.—Miss Genevieve Hecker of the Apawamis Golf club and Miss Louisa A. Wells of the Brookline Country club will meet tomorrow forenoon in the final round for the women's golf championship. These two players won their matches today, Miss Hecker defeating Mrs. W. M. Gorham of the Huntington Valley Country club in a fairly close contest by 4 up and 2 to play, while Miss Wells had her hands ful with Mrs. C. F. Fox of the Morris County Country club, finally winning out on the last green by 2 up.

The results today were in a measure anticipated and good judges pick Miss Hecker to win tomorrow and thereby retain her title to the women's golf championship.

Following are the cards of the leader:

Miss Genevieve Hecker, Apawamis club:

Out	5	5	4	5	4	5	4	5	4—41
In	4	5	5	5	5	5	5		—34—75

Mrs. William M. Gorham, Huntington Valley:

Out	6	6	3	6	6	6	5	4	5—47
In	5	5	5	4	4	6	7	*	*—34—81

*Five holes, not played.

The cards of the match were as follows:

Miss Louisa A. Wells, Country club, Brookline:

Out	7	5	4	5	6	7	4	5	6—49
In	4	5	5	5	4	7	6	5	6—47—96

Mrs. C. F. Fox, Morris County Country club:

Out	6	6	5	6	7	5	4	5	7—49
In	6	4	6	4	5	7	6	5	8—50—99

ENGAGEMENT CLOSES.

Creatore Will Be Heard at Exposition for Last Time Today.

The Creatore engagement at the Exposition closes tonight and arrangements have been made by the exposition society to accommodate a tremendous crowd. The closing program is considered the best that has been offered by Creatore. It includes the "William Tell" overture, the sextet from "Lucia," and the grand selection from "Carmen." Creatore's program for this afternoon follows:

2 P. M.

March—"American Navy" ..... Creatore
Overture—"Nabucco" ..... Verdi
Solo for cornet; prize score from "Mefistofele" ..... Wagner
Sig. Di Girolamo.
a "Narcissus" ..... Nevin
b "Passecalle" ..... Grieg
Overture—"William Tell" ..... Rossini

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4.

4 P. M.

March—"El Capitan" ..... Sousa
Selection from "The Serenade" ..... Herbert
Solo for soprano—"Paria" ..... Arditi
Mme. Barili.
Largo ..... Handel
Finale, third act—"Gioconda" ..... Ponchielli
Solos by Signori Croce, Di Girolamo and Julio.

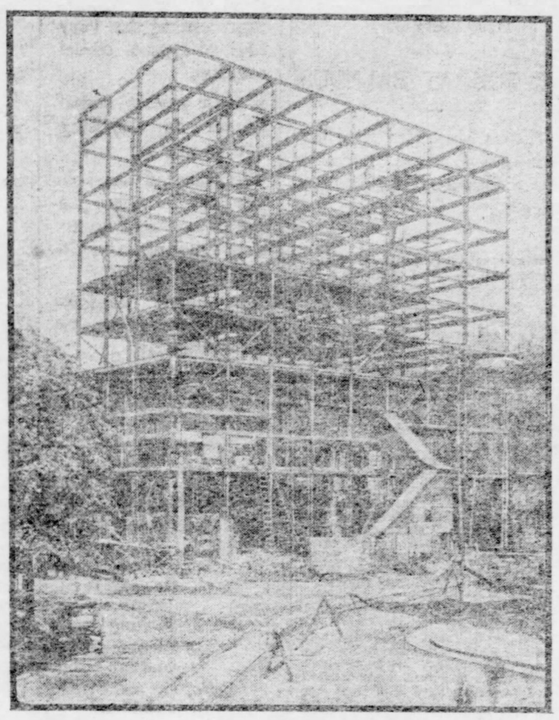
Barber's Change Hours.

The barbers of Wilmerding yesterday decided to close their shops every Thursday at noon for a half holiday and to keep the shops open each evening until 9:30 instead of 8 o'clock, the present evening closing hour. The hours are changed for the convenience of the employes of the shops at Wilmerding.

Reinhart Made Best Score.

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 3.—F. O. Reinhart, '06, made the best score of the 37 men entered in the golf tournament for the university championship today. Eight qualified and Reinhart made it in 85 over a very heavy course. L. N. James, '06, the national amateur champion, failed to qualify.

YOUNGSTOWN'S FIRST SKYSCRAPER.



YOUNGSTOWN, O., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—In the erection of Youngstown's first skyscraper the contractors met with a difficulty. The building, eight stories high, is being built by the Dollar Savings and Trust Company. When the old three-story building was to be torn down, the Youngstown Telephone Company, which held a 10-year lease on one of the floors, refused to vacate unless paid $50,000. It would have required the building of a new exchange in another building. The contractor undertook to hold up the exchange in the air and to construct the building around it. This was done, and for over six months the one floor has been on stilts while the frame work of the new building was being built around it. Recently the exchange was placed on the level with the second floor, which it will occupy. During the time the work was going on the exchange was in operation every day and not a thing about the fine mechanism was deranged.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY BOYS BRIGADE

Pittsburghers Chosen at the State Covention at Lancaster.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

LANCASTER, PA., Oct. 3.—The state convention of the Boys Brigade was held here today, with a large representation of delegates. Officers were elected as follows:

President, Maj.-Gen. H. E. Spicer, Philadelphia; vice presidents, Gen. H. P. Bope, Pittsburgh; the Rev. Dr. W. A. Credit, Philadelphia, and Maj. Frank J. Walhe, Harrisburg, secretary and treasurer, Col. Joseph H. Cudlipp, this city; trustees Col. Fred Gerhardt, Philadelphia; Capt. A. N. Hantzman, Harrisburg; D. Miller, Allegheny; W. S. Linderman, Pittsburgh; the Rev. George Kleinhann, Reading.

According to the secretary's report there are eight regiments and a battalion in the state. Two regiments have been organized during the year, the Sixth at Harrisburg and the Eighth at McKeesport. Fifty-three companies have been chartered during the year. Money will be raised to build a monument to the memory of President McKinley.

Action on the place of the next meeting was deferred.

Tonight there was a concert by the Third Regiment band of Pittsburgh and the Energetic Drum corps of Philadelphia. The national convention will be called to order tomorrow by Gen. H. P. Bope of Pittsburgh.

Women Elect Officers.

CARROLLTON, O., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The Woman's Missionary society of Steubenville presbytery adjourned to meet at Salineville next year. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. Mary Warner, East Liverpool; vice president, Mrs. Glasgow, Wellsville; secretary, Mrs. Geo. B. Sterling, Steubenville; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Ogleby, East Liverpool; treasurer, Miss McLaughlin, Mechanicstown. The Rev. Dr. Witherspoon of Allegheny delivered an address.

Officer Wounded Three Gypsies.

BELLEFONTE, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—This afternoon Constable Ira Howe of Philipsburg was bringing a gypsy here as a prisoner to jail when the band followed him and in the mountains attacked the constable with sandbags. A general fight followed in which Howe used his revolver, wounding three of the gypsies, but the entire band escaped. Word was sent here and Sheriff Brungart with a posse is searching for the desperados.

Preacher on Trial.

WHEELING, W. VA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The second day of the West Virginia Methodist Episcopal conference was largely devoted to routine matters. The committee appointed to try the Rev. John H. Shannon on the charge of immoral conduct, preferred by a Glen Easton young woman, began taking evidence. The Freedmen's Aid society meeting was addressed by the Rev. W. P. Thirkield.

Boy Killed by Engine.

JEANNETTE, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The 13-year-old son of Constable Harry Row of Manor was run down by an empty engine on the Manor branch of the Pennsylvania railroad yesterday while on his way to school and instantly killed.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

DENNISON, O.—Simon Toppin, aged 76, and Elizabeth Stinad, aged 72, were married by Justice William Robb of Trace.

FAIRMONT, W. VA.—Patrick Tewry, aged 45, was killed by falling from the top of the retaining wall to the railroad track. His home is said to be near Cleveland.

WHEELING, W. VA.—C. R. Tracy, manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company here, has decided to dispense with the services of boys as messengers and to replace them with girls.

FAIRMONT, W. VA.—Capt. Clarence L. Smith, No. 278, Spanish-American war veterans, is the name of a new company just organized here. There are about 200 veterans in this county.

WELLSVILLE, O.—As the result of a coon hunt, William Galloway is dead. He climbed a tree to shake down a coon which his dogs had treed and lost his grip, falling to the ground, a distance of about 40 feet.

SCOTTDALE, PA.—James Reagan of Summit was found dead beside the railroad horribly mangled. He was employed at the White mines. Francisco de Lefano, employed in the yards here, was struck by a shifter and died in the Cottage hospital at Connellsville.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—The quarterly meetings of the Lawrence County Medical society elected officers as follows: President, Dr. H. E. Zerner; vice presidents, Dr. Samuel W. Perry and Dr. Harry Wilson; secretary, Dr. Anna Jack; treasurer, Dr. J. M. Popp; censors, Dr. W. G. Wilson, Dr. Harry McKee and Dr. Boak.

STEUBENVILLE, O.—Alexander Hendry and Miss Mary Scott of Youngstown; William A. Russell and Mrs. Effie Charles of Canonsburg; Harry S. Gundy and Jane Patterson of Verona. Michael J. Quinn, O'Keefe and Lucy B. Chetcut of Washington county; Samuel W. Campbell and Mary E. Dougherty of Pittsburgh, were married here.

SEVENTEEN PRISONERS ESCAPE COUNTY JAIL

Some Desperate Characters Are at Large in West Virginia.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Oct. 3.—News comes from Fayetteville today of the escape last night of 17 prisoners from the Fayette county jail. Some of them are desperate characters, among the number being several charged with murder.

There are said to have been 65 prisoners in the building at the time. It is not known here exactly how the prisoners effected their escape, but the news caused little surprise, as the building is described as being totally inadequate to holding that number of prisoners safely.

This makes the third successful attempt to escape on the part of the prisoners there.

W. C. T. U. OFFICERS.

Ohio State Organization to Send Delegate to World's Convention in Switzerland.

SALEM, O., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—With the public meeting this evening the Ohio Woman's Christian Temperance union's annual convention closed. It was in charge of the Young Women's association. The following officers were elected:

Mrs. Annie Woods Clark, Columbus, president; Mrs. Sarah M. Perkins, Cleveland, vice president at large; Miss Frances E. Ensign, Madison, corresponding secretary; Miss Olivia A. Thomas, Bloomdale, recording secretary; Mrs. Florence Jaitte, Cleveland, treasurer; Mrs. Florence D. Richards, Leipsic, and Mrs. Mary W. Castle, Columbus, members of the board of trustees for three years; Mrs. Lillian Burt, Columbus, editor of the Ohio Messenger; Mrs. H. B. Wisner, branch secretary of the L. T. L. It was decided to establish a Geneva fund, with which to send a delegate to the world's Women's Christian Temperance union convention at Geneva, Switzerland, next summer. Mrs. Clark, the state president, was chosen delegate and recording secretary; Miss Olivia Thomas, alternate. An invitation from Canton for the next annual convention was accepted.

FREE BAPTISTS TO MEET.

Souvenir Letter and Picture of Roosevelt to Be Distributed.

BELLEVERNON, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Tomorrow and Sunday the Southwestern Pennsylvania Free Baptist quarterly meeting will be held in Bellevernon church, combined with a meeting of the organization of the new yearly meeting and a conference of Free Baptists of Pennsylvania for the inauguration of a state agency.

On Sunday rally day exercises will be held by the Sunday school at 2 p. m. Special interest is added to rally day this year because President Roosevelt has written a letter commending it. Souvenir cards containing this letter and a picture of the president are to be given to those attending.

Dead Burglar Identified.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., Oct. 3.—The man who was killed on Thursday morning by Engineer Bly while making an attempt with four other masked men to rob the power house of the Montoursville Passenger Railway Company, was identified tonight by Michael Gibbons of Mt. Carmel as his brother, John Gibbons.

THREE AKRON MEN COMMITTED SUICIDE

One Body Was Found in the River—Drugs Caused Death of Others.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

AKRON, O., Oct. 3.—There was an epidemic of suicides in Akron. This morning the body of Joseph Ward was found in the Ohio canal, just south of the city. Ward, it is said, quarreled with his brother, with whom he lived, and left the house in anger. His clothes were found on the bank and in one pocket was this note:

"This body is Joseph Ward, 204 McCoy street, Akron, O. The devil has driven me to do this, and he tried to kill me and then to get my land, and I take this way to evade him."

Ward served in the Fourth United States cavalry. He was 40 years of age.

F. William Thorn, aged 35, committed suicide this afternoon by taking carbolic acid. He was despondent over continued ill health.

James Munson, aged 35, died at Barberton last night from an overdose of morphine.

MEMORIAL FOR LINN.

Movement Started to Endow a Chair at Washington and Jefferson.

WASHINGTON, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—A movement is on foot here in connection with the coming centennial of Washington and Jefferson college to secure a subscription of $50,000 to endow a chair of memory to the late Prof. Alonzo Linn, to be called the Alonzo Linn memorial professorship. The leader in the movement is the Rev. Jesse C. Bruce of Pittsburgh, a graduate of the college, and he has already secured generous pledges from a number of the class association. The college has taken up the movement and appointed a committee, composed of President Moffatt, Congressman Acheson, Judge McIlvaine and Attorney Alvan Donnan, to have charge of the work.

Prof. Linn was born in 1827 and was graduated from Jefferson college in 1849. He was made professor of political economy and history in Jefferson in 1857. He was elected to the professorship of the Greek language in 1861 and was made professor of Greek and Latin literature in 1865. He was made vice president of Washington and Jefferson college in 1870 and elected to the chair of English language and political philosophy in 1872. At the time of his death, September 28, 1901, he was professor in the Greek language.

Democrats Agree on Candidate.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—William J. Foley, mayor of East Palestine, will be the Democratic candidate for congress from this district. T. J. Duffy of this city, who was nominated on both the Labor and the Democratic tickets, declined, and the committee to select his successor has agreed on Foley, who will accept. At a meeting at Alliance tomorrow the committee will formally ratify this choice.

Firemen Elect Delegates.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The New Castle fire department last evening indorsed ex-District Attorney William M. Moffat of this city as candidate for the vice presidency of the State Firemen's association, which convenes in Bradford on October 7. Delegates were elected to represent each of the companies of the city.

State Charters Issued.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 3.—Charters were issued today to the following corporations: The Allegheny Transfer and Storage Company, Allegheny; capital, $100,000; David Phillips company, Bradford, capital $20,000; United States Lumber Company, Pittsburgh, capital $50,000; Brown Brothers & Co., Allegheny, capital $25,000.

Think of the Pies.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—T. J. Druschel of East Long avenue, claims the pumpkin raising championship of the state and he produces a pumpkin that is big enough to make his claim good. It weighs 209½ pounds and measures 4½ feet in circumference.

State College Postoffice Robbed.

BELLEFONTE, PA., Oct. 3.—Thieves broke into the postoffice at State College last night, blew open the safe, secured $40 and $2,000 worth of stamps and escaped.

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Congressman Fred S. Goodrich.

Fred S. Goodrich, ex-member of Congress from Florida (51st session) writes the following letter from Shawnee, Okla.:

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Peruna has cured more cases of catarrh than all the other remedies combined. It is exactly as Congressman Goodrich of Oklahoma says: "Peruna is not only a cure for catarrh, but also a most vigorous tonic."

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Congressman H. Henry Powers, of Vermont, writes from Morrisville, Vermont:

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Hon. D. A. Nunn, ex-Congressman from Tennessee, writes:

"I cheerfully recommend Peruna to all those suffering from catarrhal troubles."—D. A. Nunn.

The most distinguished men of the United States have no hesitation in lending their influence to assist in letting the people know of the virtues of Peruna. Nearly one-half the people are in some degree affected by catarrh. Therefore it is almost a national curse and it is of national import that the people should know of Peruna.

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Beware of imitations. Believe no one who tells you that he has a remedy that is making the same cures that Peruna is making.

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SMALL MEETING IN SMALL TOWNS

Pattison Party Tours McKean County, Ending at Coudersport.

ON REPUBLICAN GROUND

State Candidates Used to Draw Votes to Fusion Candidate for Congress — Frosty Audience Swelled by School Children.

By WALTER J. CHRISTY, Staff Correspondent.

Coudersport, Pa., Oct. 3.—This town was invaded about bedtime by the Pattison party after a day spent in McKean county and waiting for belated trains. An audience that filled the courthouse listened to the candidates and the other orators.

Col. F. J. Fitzsimmons dragged out the old land suit against Maj. I. B. Brown, Republican nominee for secretary of internal affairs. The case was brought in Potter county, but the people here did not show much interest in the matter tonight.

Democrats, Unionists and Prohibitionists have combined on James Mansel of Williamsport, a Prohibitionist, as a candidate for congressman against Congressman Elias Deemer. They think they have a chance of winning, and to help along, Pattison was brought in here.

Clinton and Lycoming are Democratic; Potter is about 800 Republican, and Tioga, the other county in the district, gives a Republican majority of from 1,000 to 5,000. Deemer had over 3,000 majority two years ago, and his friends say he will be re-elected.

Editor John R. Coulson of the Potter Democrat says A. R. Moore, Republican candidate for assemblyman, will win. Moore is a stalwart Republican.

Fight for President Judge.

There is a hard fight on for president judge. The Republican candidate is John Omerod; the Democrats are running Luther B. Seibert, and the Prohibition nominee is Arthur E. Mann. The Democrats count upon Mann getting enough Republican votes to defeat Omerod.

Mt. Jewett, Smethport and Eldred were the McKean county towns visited today by the Democrats. Of the three the little village of Eldred made the best showing.

Bradford was left at 7:45 this morning and an hour later the spellbinders were landed at Mt. Jewett. County Chairman Fred Brownell came along from Bradford, and if he had not done so Gov. Pattison and his friends would have been without a reception committee.

The meeting was in the opera house. There were a few people huddled around the stage when Pattison started to speak. For a time it looked like the worst frost of the trip, but some brilliant mind came to the rescue. He had the schools adjourned and the children trooped into the hall. In this way a good sized audience was secured.

The party was rattled over two narrow gauge railroads to reach Smethport, the capital of McKean. About 200 people gathered in the court house to hear the speeches. As in Mt. Jewett, Brownell acted as traveling chairman and called the meeting to order.

Stranahan the Star Orator.

The principal speech there was made by James A. Stranahan. He tried to show that the state has been mismanaged by the Republicans and that the only hope of future good government is by the election of Pattison. All of the candidates spoke.

Then the party was dumped at Eldred. There was a large crowd of people at the station to greet the candidates and the best McKean county meeting of the day was held. The nominees explained what they claim to be the issues and left town at 6:30 for Coudersport, Potter county.

The canvass of the day indicates that Pattison is stronger in Bradford than in the country districts of McKean. Louis Emery, Jr., did not go over the country with Pattison, nor had he anyone with the party to represent him. Emery will work for himself, but is not disposed to exert himself for others.

S. R. Dresser of Bradford is the Republican nominee for congressman in the McKean-Cameron-Clearfield-Center district. He is a wonderfully popular man in the county and conservative Republican leaders say his majority cannot fall below 2?00. It is a safe prediction that Emery will fight Dresser, although the ex-senator claims to be a Republican and knows that if McKean is not carried by Dresser there is great danger of electing a Democrat in the district.

The Race for Assembly.

John W. Campbell and J. M. McElroy are the Republican nominees of McKean for assemblymen. They are both well known and their records are to their credit. In opposition to them are E. A. Boyne and P. A. Conley. Boyne was an insurgent member of the last assembly and Conley is a Democrat. Emery is supporting them, at least to the extent of saying he favors their election.

Fusion was a success two years ago in the county, but this fall all signs point to a victory for the Republican candidates.

TWO CARRIAGES COLLIDE.

Chief Clerk of the Edgar Thomson Steel Works Injured.

Two carriages collided yesterday afternoon in a runaway accident at the funeral of Mrs. Katherine F. McIntosh of Allegheny at the Monongahela cemetery, North Braddock. The carriages were returning down the steep grade in Fourth street from the cemetery and when near the Pennsylvania railroad the horses took fright at a passing engine.

A carriage occupied by G. E. Frank Gray, chief clerk at the Edgar Thomson plant, and two women collided with the carriage in front, occupied by four women. Mr. Gray was thrown from the carriage, striking his head on the curbstone. Three ugly gashes were cut in his scalp. The two women in Mr. Gray's carriage were not seriously hurt.

He was placed in another carriage and removed to his home in Second street, Braddock. The carriages were badly battered up.

Masonry Completed.

The masonry work for the new 1,300-foot viaduct, which the Pittsburgh Railways Company is building at Wilmerding was completed yesterday, work on the steel structure will be commenced Monday and it is expected to be finished within 30 days. The viaduct will form the connecting link for the traction company's 30-mile loop from this city to McKeesport and Wilmerding, returning through Braddock to Pittsburgh. The structure will cost $150,000.

Steamship Men Leaving.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The details of the steamship combination having been finished, resulting in the formation of the International Mercantile Marine Company, the European directors are leaving for home. On the Celtic, which sailed today, were Sir Clinton F. Dawkins, head of the London banking house of J. S. Morgan & Co., J. Bruce Ismay, president of the White Star line, and J. Pirrie of the Harlan and Wolf shipyards in Glasgow.

Hotel Victoria serves the best business men's lunch for 50c. Try it.

ROBBER GETS TWO YEARS.

Edward Steele Convicted of Highway Robbery—Two House Breakers Pleaded Guilty—Court Cases.

In criminal court yesterday Edward Steele was convicted of highway robbery and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. He was indicted jointly with Jack McGee and Jack Finley for holding up B. F. Mulvihill in Allegheny on July 8 and relieving him of $47. The other two men have not been caught.

E. Hilber was convicted of a misdemeanor and sentenced to the workhouse for one year.

W. H. Lee and Charles Thomas pleaded guilty to entering a house with intent to commit a felony. They entered the house of Charles A. Shalenbrand at No. 829 Heberton avenue on September 16 and took silverware and jewelry valued at $250. They were sent to the workhouse for two years. James McAuliffe, who was charged with receiving stolen goods in connection with the Shalenbrand robbery, was sentenced one year to the workhouse.

Robert Johnson was acquitted of assault and battery.

The case of felony against Louis Kraus for placing stones on the tracks of the Pittsburgh Railways Company in Sterrett township was nolle prossed.

LODGE DROWNS OUT GROWING TANGLE

ATTEMPT TO MAKE A CHANGE IN PLATFORM.

The Massachusetts Republicans Strongly Indorse Roosevelt for Another Term.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—An unexpected attempt to amend the platform presented at the Republican state convention today caused a sudden but very brief storm. The proposition to amend was overwhelmingly voted down. The ticket nominated was as follows:

Governor, John L. Bates, Boston; lieutenant governor, Gen. Curtis Guild, Jr., Boston; secretary of state, William M. Olin, Boston; treasurer and receiver general, Edward S. Bradford, Springfield; attorney general, Herbert Parker, Lancaster.

The effort to change the resolution came as a complete surprise, after George M. Draper of the committee on resolutions had read the platform and moved its adoption.

Ex-Representative Frank M. Fritts of Somerville moved an amendment in the form of a plank for reciprocity with Canada and an immediate revision of the tariff, so as to include free coal, free iron, free steel and free hides.

Instantly a wave of excitement swept the floor of the convention. Senator Lodge, noting the tangle which impended, made a vigorous speech in favor of the resolution as reported by the committee.

The amendment was overwhelmingly defeated, and the platform presented by the committee was adopted with not half a dozen dissenting.

The platform commands reciprocity with Cuba, indorses the Dingley tariff law, and the gold standard, commends lawful combinations of capital to secure the markets of the world, and makes a general arraignment of Democratic issues. The plank indorsing President Roosevelt says:

"Theodore Roosevelt has addressed himself to the duties of his high office with wisdom and courage. He has had no secrets from the American people. He has spoken to them out of the abundance of a brave and honest heart. He has addressed himself fearlessly to the difficult problems which have arisen since he succeeded to the presidency, and those which came down from his predecessors. We approve what he has done already, and what he has declared that he intends to do hereafter. Massachusetts sustains and supports his present administration and intends to sustain and support him in another."

MISSIONARY WOMEN ADJOURN.

Methodist Convention in Wilkinsburg Voted Most Profitable.

The Philadelphia branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church closed its session of four days yesterday afternoon. The convention was voted the most profitable and enjoyable in the history of the branch. The morning session opened with devotional exercises conducted by the Rev. J. A. Ballantyne. The remainder of the morning was devoted to unfinished business.

The reports of all committees were read and new resolutions passed. Miss Louise Manning Hodgkins addressed the convention on "Woman's Missionary Friend," and Mrs. John F. Keen of Philadelphia spoke on appropriations and consecration service. The following delegates to the general executive meeting were elected: Mrs. F. P. Strawinski, Fleming, Pa.; Mrs. C. E. Davis, Pittsburgh; Mrs. R. H. Matlack, Wilmington, Del.; Mrs. W. V. Hazeltine, Warren, Pa. Officers for the Pittsburgh conference were appointed as follows: Secretary, Mrs. William Van Kirk, Pittsburgh; associate secretary, Miss C. J. Carnahan, Pittsburgh; treasurer, Mrs. C. S. Crahan, Pittsburgh; secretary of standard-bearers, Mrs. A. E. Siverier, Wilkinsburg. The conference secretaries elected were: Allegheny district, Miss Mary Hunnings, Blairsville; Mrs. S. M. Miller, McKeesport; Miss Laura Secrist, Pittsburgh; Mrs. C. E. Davis, Washington, and Mrs. Wray, Grayson.

It was announced at the afternoon session that Miss C. J. Carnahan of Pittsburgh would go to Japan as a missionary with Miss Dickenson of Philadelphia, who has labored there for several years. Miss Anna Slate of Williamsport will follow Miss Dickenson and Miss Carnahan later in the winter. Miss Sarah Turner, daughter of the Rev. W. P. Turner of Wilkinsburg, goes to India.

The next annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society will be held in Memorial Holy Cross Methodist Episcopal church at Reading, Pa.

HEATING CONTRACT LET.

Braddock School Board Adopts Hot Air Double Fan System.

The Braddock school board awarded the contract for the heating and ventilating apparatus in the new First ward school building, to be built next spring, to the American Heating and Ventilating Company of this city. It is to be the hot air double-fan system. The contract is for $12,000.

The manual training schools and cooking and sewing schools will not start for several weeks. The Union Planing Mill Company of Braddock has the contract for the equipment. The shelves and cupboards are of special pattern, and although the contract was given early in July the contractors are far behind in the work. They claim that the strike of the carpenters last spring is responsible.

Horner Starts Another Crusade.

Burgess James Horner of Wilkinsburg has started a crusade against the distribution of advertising matter. Yesterday a pamphlet entitled "The Sequel to an Elopement; or the Matrimonial Troubles of a Wilkinsburg Couple," was distributed through the borough. John McLaughlin, a plumber, whose advertisement appeared in the publication, was brought before the burgess to answer the charge of distributing the pamphlets. The burgess declares that the literature is improper reading for the young people of the town.

One Killed, Several Wounded.

GUTHRIE, OKLA., Oct. 3.—Advices from Crescent City tell of a fierce battle between officers and four brothers. One man was killed and others wounded. The brothers are barricaded in a saloon. The sheriff has left for the scene.

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THE POISONING OF DOCTOR IS MYSTERY

Keeley Institute Physician Lying in Mercy Hospital—Was It Bromide or Morphine?

Dr. J. S. Smith, one of the physicians of the Keeley institute in Pittsburgh, is lying at Mercy hospital suffering from narcotic poisoning. Much mystery surrounds the case, and the members of the hospital staff refuse to make any statement regarding their patient.

Dr. Smith was taken from a Hamilton avenue street car at Wilkinsburg at noon yesterday. He was carried unconscious into the home of Mrs. Ebbs at Central street and Franklin avenue, where Drs. Wertz and McNall were summoned. The stomach pump was used and the patient revived sufficiently to move about the room in a semi-conscious state. In his possession was found a complete hypodermic outfit.

"A superficial examination showed that Dr. Smith was suffering from an overdose of morphine," said Dr. McNall last night. "We did not have time to make a close examination, and as soon as the patient was revived he was taken to the hospital. Otherwise he was in good physical condition."

Dr. Smith's valuables, which included a diamond ring worth $250, a medicine case and $45 in cash were given to Burgess Horner of Wilkinsburg. He was on his way to visit his brother, Harry L. Smith of Wilmerding.

Stuart Brown, superintendent of the Keeley institute, later stated that Dr. Smith was suffering from the effects of bromide, which he had taken for his nerves, and declared that no morphine had been taken. Dr. Smith, he said, had carried the hypodermic outfit to treat patients under his care.

NEW BY-LAWS ADOPTED.

Croatians Provide for Members Who Become Cripples.

The afternoon session of the seventh biennial session of the National Croatian Society of America was taken up exclusively with the consideration of the new by-laws of the association. They were adopted after a long debate.

They provide that the death benefits be raised and 25 cents per month shall be assessed upon each married man and that the benefits for each wife shall not exceed $400 for each death. The new by-laws also provide that each member who shall lose a leg, arm or eye shall be entitled to one-half the death benefits. The by-laws also provide that in case a member loose both eyes, both legs, both arms, they shall be entitled to full death benefits, but shall be excluded from the society.

The sessions today will be taken up in the election of officers of the society and the fixing of the place for the next meeting.

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Watch coffee drinkers and observe that practically every one of them has some form of incipient or fixed disease.

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"After three years drinking coffee I had cultivated a chonic state of constipation and other annoying symptoms became manifest. The first thing in the morning I had a headache come on, a feeling of nausea, and these symptoms would persist until I had drunk a quantity of coffee. At first I did not associate these symptoms with the habit of coffee drinking. I thought my system must be run down, and I felt glad that coffee, instead of prescribed drugs would relieve the weakness. Like many people, I did not reason from cause to effect.

"About this time I had an elderly nurse in my employ who complained every morning of similar symptoms, and when I suggested mineral water, etc., to her for his biliousness she said, 'Nothing in the world but my coffee will relieve me, when I feel so badly. My husband began to complain if he did not get his coffee at a certain time of queer sensations in the stomach and head. I became alarmed at these coincidences and came to the conclusion that coffee had as strong a hold on us as whiskey has with the veriest drunkard. About this time I was taken ill with inflammatory rheumatism, and the two doctors who attended me told me I would have to stop drinking coffee or remain a cripple, as they could not treat me if I persisted in using a drug stronger than the drug I needed.

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[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Oct. 3.—The Hamilton county Democratic committee is at a loss to find locations for Tom L. Johnson's circus tent, in which he wants to hold six meetings in Cincinnati.

Dan Kiefer appeared before the board of public service and made a request for permission to use Washington park for the meetings. The board refused the request, as no religious or political meetings are allowed in the parks. Then an appeal was made to Mayor Fleischmann for the use of Fountain square. The mayor promptly refused.

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DEATHS.

COFFMAN—On Friday, Oct. 3, 1902, at 4:30 p. m., GEORGE O., husband of Josephine McLaughlin Coffman, aged 50 years.

Funeral services at the family home, Unity station, Plum township, on Monday at 1 p. m.

DILL—On Thursday, October 2, 1902, at 3:10 p. m., FRANK W. DILL, in his 38th year.

Funeral services at the residence of his sister, Mrs. C. M. Bragdon, No. 1425 Franklin street, Allegheny, Pa., on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

DUNN—On Thursday, October 2, 1902, at 5 p. m., KATE GREENE, wife of Edward Dunn, in her 47th year.

Funeral from the family residence, No. 1041 Forbes avenue, on Monday morning at 9:15 o'clock. Services at St. Paul's cathedral at 10 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GRISSELL—On Thursday, October 2, 1902, at 8:20 a. m., THYRA MARGARITHA, infant daughter of Harry W. and Lina Weaver Grissell.

Funeral services at the family residence, Frederick street, Allegheny, Pa., on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HEBEUR—On Thursday, October 2, 1902, at 3 a. m., GEORGE P., husband of Mary Larkin and son of Susan and the late Philip Hebeur, aged 27 years 7 months and 27 days.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 113 Maple avenue, Thirty-first ward, Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Interment private at St. George's church at 9 a. m. Branch 47, C. M. B. A., and sister branches and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

JONES—On Wednesday, Oct. 1, 1902, at 3:40 p. m., ANNE ZACHER, wife of Charles L. Jones, aged 21 years, 10 months.

Funeral from family residence Sunday, Oct. 5, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MANIFOLD—On Thursday, October 2, 1902, at 2 p. m., at the residence of her sister, Mrs. H. M. Kean, Parnassus, Pa., MRS. PHOEBE MANIFOLD.

Funeral services Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment private at Tarentum Saturday afternoon.

MURPHY—On Friday morning, Oct. 3, 1902, at 1:30 o'clock, MARIE PAULINE, infant daughter of David J. and Katherine O'Brien Murphy, aged 1 year and 19 days.

Funeral from the family residence, 7712 Tuscarora street, on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

RUSSELL—On Thursday, October 2, 1902, at 11 a. m., MARY LILLIAN ISABEL, daughter of William G. and Nannie Shiveley Russell, aged 1 year, 21 days.

Funeral services at the parents' residence, No. 5 Savannah avenue, Wilkinsburg, on Saturday morning at 9:45 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

[Gallipolis (O.) and Point Pleasant (W. Va.) papers please copy.]

TAYLOR—On Thursday, October 2, 1902, MRS. IVY SEWARD TAYLOR.

Funeral from the residence of her niece, Mrs. Hoyte Michaels, No. 436 Hawkins avenue, Braddock, Pa., on Saturday afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1902.

FOURTEEN PAGES.

Col. Church thinks that councils should proceed at once to make an appropriation sufficient to purchase a site for the polytechnic school, and he intimates that no other course would meet the approval of Mr. Carnegie. If the conditions are as inexorable as that there is no alternative, for Pittsburgh wants that school and its value in training the youth in engineering, chemistry and mechanics will be so immense as to justify even much more than the expenditure demanded as the contribution from the public. Col. Church does not over-state the case at all in his eloquent description of the advantages which high technical training confer upon a community.

There are two legal snags in the way of the procedure recommended by Col. Church. One is whether councils has power to provide the money; the other is whether having the money it has the power to appropriate it for the purpose. Col. Church contends that in neither way is there any real difficulty. At any rate we think both questions are sufficiently open for councils to act upon the assumption that they have the power to make the appropriation, leaving it to those who think otherwise to appeal to the courts if they see fit. If the proceeding should be stopped by injunction then the city will have done all it can do and it will be up to Mr. Carnegie to decide whether he cannot shape his generous offer so as to make it really available.

Ex-Senator Flinn is of a nature too active and aggressive for him to be content with observing the political field from his watch tower. On his first retirement the unaccustomed quiet of the situation may have been pleasant, but as he listens to the shouts of the combatants and hears the rattle of the sticks and stones on their armor, the inclination to butt in must be irresistible. It has been surmised that he has not been moving about and holding conferences merely for exercise, but it is a surprise to learn that he is planning deliberate treachery to the Republican party. He has long been a bolter, but has always claimed to be a Republican. Reports coming from all over the state intimate that he is at work setting up a ticket intended to draw off Republican votes to the support of the Democratic state ticket. In view of Senator Flinn's prominence as a Republican and the party honors he has received, he certainly owes the public an explanation of his course. He has always had a reputation for bluff straightforwardness of speech; if he has not lost his character, as well as his party faith, he will let the people know just where he stands.

Senator Dolliver made a good point when he showed that the big concerns, known as trusts, employ less than 10 per cent of the factory labor of the country and make only 14 per cent of the output of manufactures. They exist only in a few great staples and in textile production are almost unknown. The idea of striking down the protective policy to hit at the trusts is, therefore, ridiculous. The industries that would be hit are those outside of the field of trust operations, or those independent of trust management and competing with the trusts in production. The relative advantage of the big combinations would probably be greater under free trade than under tariff protection. The whale in the deep sea cares nothing for the falling tide; the little fishes are the ones that get stranded.

Controller Larkin has returned the contract for an engine house in the Thirty-second ward to Recorder Brown with some caustic comments. The controller is right to insist upon having the contagious diseases hospital proceeded with before any more of the bond issue funds are expended elsewhere. The first thing is to get plans and a contract for that institution approved. It is an urgent necessity. After that will properly come the engine house for the Thirty-second ward.

The Massachusetts convention illustrated by its platform the readiness with which the party everywhere accepts President Roosevelt's leadership. His action in making an effort to end the coal strike is heartily commended. The declaration on the tariff is also an echo of the president's utterances, including his suggestion of a commission of experts to make an investigation and report preliminary to congressional action. Reciprocity with Cuba is demanded, and after a specific approval of all the distinctive points of the president's policy, the platform makes a strong general indorsement of the national administration.

The trend of party sentiment in President Roosevelt's favor could not be more strongly marked than in the action of the succession of state conventions which have been held. All have given cordial indorsement and a number have predicted his re-election in 1904. The attempt made in the New York convention to stem the Roosevelt tide simply resulted in the discomfiture of his opponents. Quigg, the temporary chairman selected by Platt, made a fling at the Cuban reciprocity policy, but at the last moment Platt's candidate for lieutenant governor, who represented the opposition to Roosevelt's trust regulation policy, had to be withdrawn, and the renomination of Roosevelt was put into the platform despite Platt's prediction that it would not be. Congressmen who conspicuously antagonized the president's Cuban policy have been defeated for renomination, four of them in Michigan alone, and the two best sugar Nebraska senators have publicly backed down from their anti-reciprocity position and have promised to be loyal to party policy hereafter. The people are with the president and the politicians have found that they must swim with the tide or it will sweep over them.

HERE TO STAY.

Senator Dolliver of Iowa, in his speech before the National League of Republican clubs, took the position that the trusts are but a transient phase of the industrial situation, as they contain within themselves the germs of their own dissolution. He mentioned a number of trusts which have gone to flinders and remarked: "Before anybody makes up his mind that the so-called American trust is a permanent institution, let him consider the long list of ambitious combinations which have already had their affairs wound up by courts of justice."

Senator Dolliver failed to make an important distinction. The original trusts were combinations of separate business concerns, each retaining its individuality, but submitting to a joint control through the medium of a common trusteeship charged with the fixing of prices upon their products. The method was virtually a suppression of competition, and trust profits could only come through advance of prices, as the cost of production was not really affected. This left the trusts extremely vulnerable to attack by outside competition, so that the very method of their organization did indeed involve a principle of decay which brought down a number of them. Moreover, anti-trust legislation proved extremely effective against such organizations. When they were brought into court the system of trusteeship on which they were founded was declared invalid and they were left without legal security for essential features of their business management.

The combinations of interest which succeeded the old trusts and inherited the name are simply large corporations. Various concerns in the same line of production instead of having their direction trusteed to a joint control, are brought outright by a corporation of sufficient capital to embrace them all. The legal powers involved are no greater than in the case of any corporation, however small, and the only new principle developed by the process is the superior economy of production which extensive ownership possesses as against small ownership. Hence it is quite possible that a large corporation of this sort may make great profits from prices on which small concerns could not live, so that not only are market conditions steadied and regulated, but the consumer is directly benefited. This is not merely theory, but has actually been realized in practice. The operations of the Standard Oil Company have been attended by a progressive reduction in the cost of oil to consumers. It is notorious that the United States Steel Corporation keeps prices for steel and iron below what they have previously been in the presence of such a demand as now exists, and it even supplies competing concerns with raw material at charges below that which market conditions would enable it to exact.

There is no natural principle of decay in business aggregations of such character, and everything indicates that they will be a permanent feature of the industrial situation. They are not confined to any one country, but are world wide in their organization. The international character of the new shipping combination is strongly marked. The development of concentrated control in the management of production and transportation is the legitimate outcome of economic forces, and it is a tendency to be reckoned with, but not necessarily to be deplored. It is not to be supposed that public opinion will view with acquiescence or apathy the rise of an industrial sovereignty operating without public supervision or control, and hence the necessity of legislation to meet the new conditions. President Roosevelt has taken hold of the problem in the right way, the people are with him and the politicians had better accept his leadership.

IT IS A PUBLIC BENEFIT.

There have been intimations that objections will be made to the location of an elevated railroad in Duquesne way on the ground that it is in violation of the original grant of the river bank to the city for wharf purposes. Such an objection will have no standing unless it can be proven the proposed railroad will positively interfere with use of the property for the purposes intended. There is no reason why it should deprive the city of any advantages now enjoyed, and it is to be presumed the railroad company will carefully plan its structure with the end in view to protect all public rights.

In granting the property along the rivers for wharfage the central idea of the grantors appears to have been the "public benefit." One could hardly imagine any single thing that, at the present moment, would be a greater public benefit than the removal of the railroad tracks from Liberty avenue and the enlargement of shipping facilities in the down-town district. This benefit is to be supplemented by the East Liberty terminals and the connection from there with the Allegheny Valley and West Penn divisions.

Every resident of Pittsburgh is familiar with the freight congestion that has hampered the business and growth of the city. Every person that visits the down-town district is aware of the congestion of traffic upon the streets. It is for the relief, in part, of both of these conditions that the elevated railroad in Duquesne way is planned. Such being the case it is a "public benefit" in the largest sense, and if care is taken of the interests of navigation in the manner of construction there can be no reasonable objection to the proposed improvement.

A FRUITLESS CONFERENCE.

Yesterday's conference between President Roosevelt, the presidents of the anthracite companies and the mine workers' officials was fruitless in so far as immediate results are concerned. President Mitchell submitted a proposition for the resumption of work at once, leaving all matters in dispute to be settled by arbitration, or by a tribunal created by President Roosevelt.

Separate statements were filed by each of the railroad presidents and John Markle, independent operator. All of these statements lay great stress upon the disorder existing in the mining region, and each declares the determination to not recognize or treat with the organization headed by Mr. Mitchell. Mr. Baer's paper denies the right of Mitchell to come from another state to interfere with the conduct of business in Pennsylvania. Mr. Markle's argument is that it is the duty of President Roosevelt to suppress the anarchy in the coal fields and not to invite the operators to treat for settlement with an organization responsible for the disorder. The others representing the operators discuss the question along similar lines, the one promise on their side being to settle their differences with their miners individually, and to arbitrate in individual cases where differences cannot be otherwise adjusted.

There can be no question about the disorder and violence in the mining region. Every power of the state should be used to prevent it. The proclamation of Gov. Hastings, after the Larimer riot, which was recently printed in these columns, expresses the proper sentiment on that subject. To whatever extent the execution of the laws has fallen short of that standard the state has been derelict in its duty. The operators have the right to demand the utmost protection for their property and for their employes. They have a right to demand vigorous prosecution and punishment for all who have violated the laws.

On the other hand, it is rather foolish to refuse to recognize an organization that has proved as powerful as the United Mine Workers. The residence of Mr. Mitchell has no more to do with the question than the residence of the presidents of the operating companies. The proposal to adjust differences with individual employes is hardly worthy of consideration, because it would be practically impossible to confer with so many men, and because the men would fear instant discharge as the "adjustment" to follow individual requests for better wages.

It will be a disappointment to the public to learn the conference has been fruitless. President Roosevelt's invitation offered a means whereby both sides might have backed down gracefully, without loss of dignity. Failure to take advantage of it will compel the public to seek other ways to put an end to a struggle that is bearing as heavily upon it as upon the belligerents. What expedients may be next proposed cannot be predicted, but must appear in the future. The danger is that an exasperated people may demand what is not wise, but may for the moment appear effective.

THE BUSINESS SITUATION.

The business of the country had a further experience during the past week of the effects of antiquated financial laws and of prolonged industrial warfare. On Monday the rate for call loans touched 35 per cent in Wall street, the highest of the year, and there was a large shrinkage in the market value of securities. The advance in the rate for money and the decline in the value of stocks was not based upon any lack of confidence in the quality of our currency or any unfavorable developments in trade circles. The movement was due to the inelasticity of our currency and to the law which requires the government to lock up in its treasury the surplus of receipts over expenditures. Despite the reduction in war taxes at the beginning of the present fiscal year, the revenues of the government continue to exceed the expenditures, the amount of such excess for the month just closed being $11,000,000. Under normal conditions increasing revenues necessarily mean increase in the business of the country from which revenues are derived. Increase in business necessarily calls for a larger use of currency, and at a time when this demand is most urgent, the laws governing the treasury require that the money received from taxes must be locked up until needed to meet expenditures. As The Gazette has remarked on a previous occasion, the adoption of this policy by business men generally would quickly result in financial and commercial chaos. Secretary of the Treasury Shaw established two precedents this week in order to extend relief to the market, one being subsequently overruled by Comptroller Ridgely, but congress should give permanent relief by the repeal or modification of existing antiquated laws.

The indirect effect of the coal strike upon the monetary situation may also be traced from the official figures published by the treasury department this week. These figures showed that while internal revenues during September fell off $2,700,000, due to the reduction of war taxes, the customs revenues increased $7,000,000. The latter is no doubt due largely to increased importations of iron and steel, and the necessity for such importations—at least a part of them—arose out of the coal strike, which caused the shutting down of blast furnaces through a lack of fuel. The increase in imports of merchandise and the sales of American securities by foreign holders influenced the rates for sterling exchange, and apparently reduced our credits abroad to a sufficient extent to prevent imports of gold.

These two most prominent influences bearing upon the situation are all the more irritating to the general public because they are remediable, the one by congressional legislation and the other by the exercise of conciliation and common sense.

There were no developments out of the ordinary in trade circles. Bituminous coal and coke production continues at the maximum, and activity is maintained in iron and steel. Latest railroad earnings show an increase of about 14 per cent over the corresponding period last year, and bank exchanges reflect the growing expansion in finance and trade.

POLICE HAVE FAILED.

With a verdict of not guilty as to Allen, who was tried for the murder of Achsah King, there is no glory in the case for the police. Neither is there any assurance to the public that it is being protected as it ought. The murder was a bold, daylight affair and the police were notified almost before the murdered woman had gasped her last breath, yet it looks as though no one will be convicted of the foul crime.

First the man Feighley was arrested, bulldozed and detained, though able to prove an alibi from the start. Then Allen was captured in Ohio and brought back with the assurance that an absolute chain of evidence had been made against him. He, too, made out an alibi so convincing that the jury hesitated but a few minutes over a verdict of acquittal. The police have failed utterly in the public service which they are supposed to render.

President Roosevelt's action may also serve an excellent purpose in preventing the future "man who settled the coal strike" gag from becoming monotonous.

The meeting of the National Republican league in Chicago emphasizes the fact that "young Republicanism" is a mighty political power in this country.

With snow storms in Kansas and fresh garden strawberries in Youngstown the versatility of our climate need be no longer questioned.

Ohio has not taken kindly to ping pong. Tom Johnson and his circus is quite enough in the way of entertainment that the Ohioans need.

The murder of a Russian consul by the Macedonians may have the effect of giving Russia quite another view of the eastern question.

There are no questions of public interest, either financial, political or economic, that patience and patriotism will not settle.

Washington is going to hear tell of war that was war when the "vets" gather around their camp fires next week.

Mr. Peary has so far not succeeded in finding anybody to take a slice of that $200,000 north pole proposition.

Financial difficulties are too serious to be solved by merely saying "Oh 'shaw."

Old King Coal seems to have increased materially the number of his fiddlers.

The Vermont Democrats are doubtless thoroughly convinced by this time.

Yesterday was authracite day in Washington.

INTENSE ANXIETY OVER CONFERENCE

New York Watches Washington Meeting Almost as Life and Death Matter.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Oct. 3.

It has seemed as if New York has been holding its breath in anticipation of some comforting news from Washington. There has been a dearth of local sensations, but the interest in the conference between President Roosevelt and the men responsible for the coal famine has given the community all it wants to think about, without murders, or other happenings that set the yellow journals shrieking. The weather has been lovely all day and the air is gentle and pleasant this evening; but the murmurs of cold waves to come are heard, and many reminders are rife that we are on the edge of a winter which may be a hard and bitter one. Ask the owner of an apartment house what he will do about furnishing the steam heat required by the terms of his lease, and he will tell you that if anyone has coal he will have it. Considering that there are many thousands of apartment houses in Harlem alone, each of which is supposed to be kept warm by steam in the coldest weather, and one may well wonder whether the sanguine owner can keep his word should the coal famine last much longer. No matter how you may allow your thoughts to be diverted from the coal situation, they will surely come back there as you reflect that another month at the outside may bring frosty mornings and cold, cheerless evenings. So it is that New York has been more taken up with doings in Washington today than in its own confines. Pittsburgh, with its plenitude of natural gas and its unlimited supply of cherry bituminous coal, can hardly realize the tense anxiety that prevails in this city over a question almost, if not quite as vital as that of food and drink. Whether we are to see the most shocking suffering from cold this winter or not, seems to be in the hands of the group of men that met at the White House today. That is why nothing else seems to be seriously discussed in New York this evening.

Effect of a Jewish Holiday.

The effect of the Hebrew New Year celebration was felt today, particularly in business districts. It was a sort of "blue Monday." Never in recent years has the great Jewish holy day been more earnestly observed. While orthodox Hebrews can be depended on to respect all the feasts of the year, it is only New Year's and the solemn Yom Kippur which embraces all persons of the race of all shades of orthodoxy and unorthodoxy. As the celebration was general, so is the reaction. It has seemed hard for the participants to get down to business today, and it is to be feared that, as Saturday is somewhat of an off day at all times, it will be Monday morning before the wheels of commerce are running briskly again, particularly in the wholesale district.

A Cheerful Suicide.

Over in Brooklyn they sometimes feign a cheerfulness if they have it not. Take the latest suicide reported. It was this forenoon, when the sun was shining brightly and everything in nature seemed to breathe of the joy of living, that a young man in Brooklyn walked to one of the piers, swinging his light cane and whistling merrily. He gazed at the dancing ripples in the East river, smiled indulgently at the busy longshoremen, took out his watch to note the time, and then—jumped off the stringpiece into the water and never came up. It looked as if he felt too good to live, but another reason for his deed may be developed at the inquest, if ever they find his body.

Children Mourn for Wicked Elephant.

When they killed wicked old "Tom," the big elephant in Central park this morning, they were obliged to use three pailsful of poisoned bran. Yet, with 600 grains of cyanide of potassium in him, "Tom" gazed mildly about him for some time. When the dose did take hold, however, it was prompt in its action, and "Tom" was soon lying on his side. The animal had to be killed on account of his viciousness, but he will be missed by the children that have been used to watching him in the managerie. There is always considerable youthful grief when any of the Central park pets are killed, and it is on such occasions that the feeling of ownership on the part of the younger portion of the population in the park and its animals is most strongly evinced.

Songstress Sings Not in English.

The concert season in New York is about to begin. Henry E. Wolfsohn, the impresario so well known in Pittsburgh, has begun to make his announcements. He will present Mary Munchhoff in a song recital at Mendelsshon hall on Friday evening, the program being remarkable for one thing,—that there is not an English composition on it. Italian, French, German and Russian selections are there, with, naturally enough, German preponderating, and the list promises an entertaining evening. Miss Munchhoff is an American girl from a western city who has been studying in Germany for several years. She has sung frequently in concerts on the other side of the Atlantic, but this will be her first public appearance in New York. She will sing in Pittsburgh later.

Devery in Caricature.

A cartoon by Edgren, which appeared in an evening journal, shows the Devery situation so pointedly and humorously that another paper reproduced it. "Big Bill," with coat off and perspiration dropping from his brow, is on a handcar labeled "Devery Special." He has stopped the work of propelling it along a single-track railroad to address his forlorn dog, "Pump," with the anxious query: "Say, Pump, which way are we going?" The picture is funny in every line, but I don't know whether Devery appreciates it or not.

The British Ambassador Lands.

With the British ambassador, Sir Michael Herbert, and Lady Herbert aboard, the Campania steamed up to her pier tonight. There was a number of passengers on the liner, but more interest centered in the new ambassador than anyone else. The verdict of the people on the pier who saw Sir Michael and Lady Herbert step into a cab, to be whirled away to the Waldorf-Astoria, was that the ambassador was "all right," which means a very great deal when it is uttered with emphasis, as was the way in this case. The fact that Lady Herbert is a New York girl, being the daughter of Richard Wilson and sister of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., and Mrs. Ogden Goelt, makes her quite at home, of course. Sir Michael and Lady Herbert will remain in New York over Sunday and then will depart for their permanent home in Washington.

A Naval Funeral.

Funeral services in the navy are always impressive. Those over the remains of Lieut.-Commander V. Brenaugh of the Kearsarge today at the Brooklyn navy yard were held in the presence of a large assemblage. After the services at the yard, when the body was being carried on a tug to the Pennsylvania railroad station at Jersey City, there was a pretty demonstration by the sailors on the Kearsarge as the tug passed. They all lined up on the forward deck of the big battleship and bowed their heads reverently while the flags were dipped to half-mast. It will be remembered that the deceased officer committed suicide last Tuesday in his cabin on the Kearsarge.

Chief Croker Holds Up His End.

So far, it looks as if Edward F. Croker, chief of the fire department, was holding up his end satisfactorily to himself in the investigation of his official conduct. It does not appear as if the trial were hurting him much, and the chief looks as if he thought so, too. He has showed in a rather heroic light throughout, and whatever feeling there may be in some quarters against his uncle, Richard Croker of Wantage, the opinion is general that Edward F. Croker is one of the best fire chiefs New York ever had.

Devery's Faith in Devery.

Devery seems to have swept away all opposition to himself in Tammany hall. He made rather a good showing in convention last night, and it is likely that soon he will be recognized as a decided factor in Tammany, whatever may be on the tapis. With big Tim Sullivan at his back, "Big Bill" will be able to go into the wigwam and do his full share in directing the movements of the organization. It is settled that Devery will be a member of the executive committee when it reorganizes in December, and we may be sure he will not be a silent member, either. The setback he got at Saratoga on Monday and Tuesday was only temporary, just as the "chief" himself insisted it would prove to be. Devery has the greatest confidence in Devery under all circumstances and despite all reverses.

Gen. Booth at Quarantine.

There will be great times in the Salvation army here tomorrow. Gen. Booth, founder of the army, is on the American liner Philadelphia, which is at quarantine, and will come up to her slip in the morning. There will be a great reception for the old man at the national headquarters of the army in Fourteenth street, when everyone will have a chance to meet the general. The veteran commander-in-chief intends to spend four months in the United States and one month in Canada, and will deliver addresses in every important center in the two countries. One of the cities to which he will give particular attention is Pittsburgh.

Odds Still Favor Odell.

Odell continues to be very much the favorite for governor, judging by the betting. Frederick H. Brooks says he has $50,000 to wager on Odell against Coler, the money being furnished by a syndicate which believes Odell cannot possibly lose. It is said that a syndicate backing Coler will take the other end of the $50,000 at the prevailing odds, two to one on Odell.

Waiting for the Prince of Siam.

It is expected that the prince of Siam will reach this city next Thursday. He will be met at the pier by Gen. Dan Sickles and Assistant Secretary of State Peirce. The general used to be consul general at Bangkok and can talk Siamese like a native, while Mr. Peirce has had experience in showing royal personages around, because he was the representative of the government that welcomed Prince Henry to this country, and kept with that jolly Teuton all the time he was in this country. The prince will go to Washington almost immediately on his arrival here, but will be back again from October 22 to 29. Then, if it so pleases him, he will have the same opportunity of seeing every side of New York life as the Grand Duke Boris had a few weeks ago. He may even drink champagne from a chorus girl's boot, if he likes—as Boris did not do, according to his own indignant assertion to a Paris interviewer the other day. Pittsburgh will be one of the cities visited by the prince, he being deeply interested in the great steel industries of Western Pennsylvania.

Another Delay for Subway.

All kinds of obstructions face the rapid transit tunnel from time to time. Now it is the old Hall of Records that is a stumbling block, and work may be held up there for at least three months, at the end of which time the documents and books in the old building may be removed to the new. The subway will pass directly under the old structure. To do this the contractors wish to begin digging away the foundations so that they can get their tunnel through. The superintendent of public buildings, Perez M. Stewart, has forbidden this at present. He does not seem to care what might happen to the workmen in the tunnel if the whole Hall of Records were to tumble about their ears, but he objects to having his official records dropped into the mud and rubbish that would attend a great smash. John B. McDonald, the contractor-in-chief, would take chances, but Stewart is obdurate, and the state of chaos that exists down in City Hall park by the Brooklyn bridge entrance is likely to continue all winter and a long way into the spring.

Mayor Low Jollies Striking Girls.

It has got to be a recognized right of school children to "strike" in this part of the country. Thirty-five girls, members of the graduating class in a public school at Madison avenue and One Hundred and Nineteenth street, were transferred by the board of education to another school four or five blocks away. The girls decided to "strike." They have refused to attend the school to which they have been transferred and clinched their action today by calling on Mayor Low at his office in city hall and asking him to help them in their fight with the board. Their point is that the transfer would lower them in scholastic grades and prevent their being members of the alumni association. The mayor smiled and said he would look into it, and the strikers went away happy. He knows how to "jolly" the girls, does the mayor of Greater New York.

Trains More Cheerful at Night.

The "L" trains on the Sixth avenue division look brighter tonight than they ever have. Electric trains are running as far as Fifty-eighth street and every car is brilliantly lighted by incandescent lamps. It is a new sensation, and a most cheerful one.

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
H. P. Goff, J. W. Friend,
Miss Arbuckle, A. S. Cooke,
Mrs. C. A. Jamison, Mrs. J. P. Murphy,
M. Jamison, Miss N. Murphy.
J. A. Chambers,

VENDOME.
H. S. Newton, D. A. Hughes.

HERALD SQUARE.
E. Kaufmann.

IMPERIAL.
Thomas M. Porter, Louis Womser.

HOLLAND.
W. J. Holland, Coleman Carnegie,

EARLINGTON.
E. J. Wilson.

VICTORIA.
M. P. Clinton.

ALBEMARLE.
Mrs. D. T. Watson, H. H. Laughlin.

FIFTH AVENUE.
E. M. Bigelow, William McConway,
M. K. McMullin, Mrs. Wm. McConway,
Miss May Rodgers, Miss Josephine McConway.
H. F. Dysart,
Mrs. A. P. Dysart,

MANHATTAN.
S. D. Warfield, J. H. Harlow,

NAVARRE.
W. A. Anderson.

ASTOR.
J. S. Morrow.

Dalzell Deserves It.

From the Indiana Gazette.

We are glad to note that the friends of the Hon. John Dalzell are presenting his claims and qualifications to the end that he may be made the Republican caucus candidate for speaker of the house of representatives, vice Speaker Henderson, who will not return. Mr. Dalzell has the experience, the ability and the personality to make an ideal presiding officer and his elevation to the speakership would be a just recognition not alone of his long and faithful years of service in the party, but of the staunch and unswerving support of the party by the state and the district which delight to honor John Dalzell.

Public Subscription Favored.

To the Editor of The Gazette.

Permit me to suggest that the way to obtain the amount of money needed to purchase the acreage from Mrs. Schenley for the new technological school site be raised by subscription. I am satisfied that if the right people were put at the head of a committee to collect the amount needed they would meet with success. Local pride would, I think, bring the money promptly. CITIZEN.

Pittsburgh, Oct. 3, 1902.

PERSONALS.

William M. Greene of Cincinnati, vice president and general manager of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad, was in Pittsburgh yesterday. He had a conference with officials of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburgh on matters of common importance to the Panhandle and the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern. He called on General Superintendent L. G. Haas of the Baltimore & Ohio.

The Hon. John Herriott, lieutenant-governor of Iowa, is a guest at the home of his nephew, Dr. F. E. Herriott, in Carnegie. He is on his way to Washington to attend the national encampment of the G. A. R.

F. H. Tristram, assistant general passenger agent of the Wabash, and W. D. Holliday, traffic manager of the Pittsburgh, Carnegie & Western, are in St. Louis attending a Wabash traffic conference.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Among those at the leading hotels last night were the following persons from nearby towns:

Henry—L. S. Wright, Sharon; A. H. Beach, Wheeling; W. F. Ayers, Washington; Stephen P. Stone, Beaver; C. W. Knox, Jr., Marietta; W. A. Baird, J. K. Friend, Cambridge Springs; W. L. Deming, Salem; J. K. Dain, Greenville; A. M. Ducher, Canton.

Victoria—C. A. Showan, J. B. Wilson, Moundsville.

Lincoln—N. A. Hanna, Cadiz; T. S. Clark, Sharon.

Seventh Avenue—C. G. Anderson, J. E. McClure, East Liverpool; C. E. Clark, Youngstown; A. S. Keating, Cochocton; G. W. Robinson, New Bethlehem; A. J. McDonald, McDonald; John Beath, Emlenton; J. P. Wilson, South Fork; F. M. Sloon, Parker.

Newell's—F. H. Houghton, Jr., Akron; J. D. Ramsey, Bolivar; W. H. Helland, C. I. Kaine, H. P. Gilmore, Uniontown, Pa.; H. F. Cook, Franklin; Grant Snyder, Altoona.

Monongahela—D. O. Bennell, J. H. Offuett, Greensburg; J. N. Weddell, W. J. Eastman, Monessen; C. B. Tarquoin, F. G. Evans, Youngstown; John Costello, Lisbon.

Griswold—M. P. Church, Greensburg; R. J. Horsett, Uniontown; C. J. McGaferty, Franklin; F. T. Waters, Oberlin; G. A. Stewart, Brownsville.

Duquesne—D. Getzman, Carrollton; M. Bachman, Sharon; R. B. Drum, California; E. F. Vosburg, Dubois.

Anderson—C. M. Wright, Slatersville.

THE DEATH ROLL.

George B. Kennedy Buried.

The funeral services over the remains of Attorney George B. Kennedy, a son of Judge John M. Kennedy, were held yesterday afternoon at the residence of his parents in Wilkins avenue. The Rev. Dr. Maitland Alexander conducted the services, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Cowan. The music of the service was furnished by the Allegheny County Bar quartet. The pallbearers, who were intimate friends and college associates of the deceased, were Dr. Victor King, Hall Canning, Henry Irwin, James R. Tindle, C. I. Shannon, George Herriott, James S. Crawford and David A. Reed.

Mrs. Eva Leech.

Mrs. Eva Leech, 76 years old, died suddenly yesterday morning from apoplexy at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Fay, No. 5439 Penn avenue. She was a native of Germany and came to the United States with her parents when a child. She was first married to John Gamble and later to Nicholas Leech, whom she survived. Mrs. Gamble is survived by two sons, John Gamble of Chicago and Henry Gamble of Washington, Pa., and one daughter, Margaret, wife of J. R. Fay. She was a member of St. Augustine's Roman Catholic church, Lawrenceville.

James Brown White.

James Brown White, aged 84, died yesterday at New Castle, Pa. He was the oldest Elk in the country. He was a member of the New Castle lodge, No. 69, B. P. O. E., and for half a century a member of Shenango lodge, No. 195, of the Odd Fellows. He served several terms as constable. He is survived by his widow and four children, R. G. C., John W. and Anton B. White of New Castle, and Mrs. Mary Walker of East Liverpool, O.

Obituary Notes.

Frederick Hillers, a tin worker of New Castle, Pa., died yesterday of typhoid fever.

Ex-Judge Mason B. Loomis, a well-known jurist, died yesterday in Evanston, Ill., of pneumonia.

George Sewell Bonner, a prominent member of the Bar association of New York, died yesterday in Roosevelt hospital of paralysis.

Jacob Kummer, aged 78, a veteran of the civil war, died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harriet L. Kelty, at New Castle, Pa.

Michael C. McGuinness, who during the active years of his life was identified with many movements to free Ireland, is dead at Bridgeport, Conn.

Patrick Norton, 57 years old, a well-known resident of Braddock, died at his home in Wood alley, Braddock, yesterday morning. He is survived by his wife and six children.

Mrs. Kate G. Dunn, 46 years old, wife of Edward Dunn, the Forbes street liveryman, is dead at the family home, No. 1041 Forbes street. Besides her husband, 12 children survive.

Thomas G. Smith, president of the Parkersburg National bank, who was for years clerk of courts and for over half a century one of the leading citizens of Parkersburg, W. Va., died yesterday after an illness of several weeks.

James P. Forshay, whose stage name was Edward Forshay, is dead at Kansas City, aged 35. Forshay's professional career ended in June, 1901, when he shot and killed his wife, Edna May Stokes, an actress, at a Chicago hotel.

Gen. Bela M. Hughes, one of the most noted characters in the early history of the west, is dead at Denver, Col. He was president in the early 60's of the Overland Stage and Express Company which operated between the Missouri river and the Pacific coast.

Always a Protectionist.

From the Boston Journal.

Some of our Democratic contemporaries profess to be surprised that President Roosevelt is a strong protectionist. They have not known the man; the truth is the president has long been a consistent and fervent champion of the American system. Indeed, what else is to be expected of a man of Theodore Roosevelt's education and temperament?

IT IS TO SMILE.

"So Si Sparkins has been down ter town?" asked Mandy.

"Why, yaas; an' he got bunnoed as usual."

"Brung home a gol' brick, did he?"

"No, indeedy. Si is up ter date, he is."

"Du tell?"

"A bunco man sold him a chunk o' hard coal at a big price, an' I'll be hornswoggled ef it didn't turn out ter be jes' a chunk o' rock painted black."—Baltimore Herald.

In this quandary the highwayman bethought himself to consult a lawyer.

"Good sir," said he, "on the one hand my conscience will not permit me longer to do that which is unlawful, while on the other hand it is not practicable for a man at my age to change his employment."

"Incorporate under the laws of New Jersey," quoth the lawyer, readily enough, for it chanced that he was learned in the law.—Life.

"I wonder how Venus de Milo came to lose her arms?"

"Broke 'em off probably trying to button her shirtwaist up the back."—Philadelphia Press.

"I have a friend who says she got rid of 140 pounds of superfluous flesh in a few months."

"How'd she do it?"

"Divorce."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

A man went out into the woods
With nature to commune;
He longed to gather fragrant flow'rs,
To hear the zephyrs croon.

He saw a bulbous looking thing
That grew above his head.
"Ah, here is some pea kind of fruit!"
Unto himself he said.

Alas! it was a hornets' nest!
He pulled it off; not soon
Again will this man venture forth
With nature to commune.

—Ohio State Journal.

THIS SNAKE YARN HARD TO BEAT

Farmer Giles Thought a Big Turtle Had Been Stealing His Ducks.

A combination fish and snake story was told by Dr. G. E. Hill yesterday that easily takes the palm for such narratives this season, says the Scranton Republican. The story being told by Dr. Hill carries the imprint of veracity, but there are some other men in this valley who wouldn't dare to speak about such things. Dr. Hill's story runs something like this:

Farmer Giles, who lives near Yatesville, was annoyed last summer because so many ducks were found missing every morning. The ducks fed in a little pond, fed by a stream coming from a culvert, and a large snapping turtle was believed to be responsible for the death of the ducks. Mr. J. P. Sanburn of 138 Franklin avenue, who was visiting with Mr. Giles, evolved the scheme of baiting a large hook with a part of a duck.

The line was dropped through the culvert, and after a few minutes' wait their patience was rewarded by a strong pull on the line. The line slipped through their fingers and was pulled the length of the pond at a rapid rate. The two men, having taken the precaution to tie the end to a post, the running out of the line soon ceased.

Then Messrs. Sanburn and Giles laid hold of the line and with their combined efforts brought the catch to the surface. Instead of finding a turtle, a huge black snake was attached to the end of the line.

The snake was pulled out on the shore and dispatched with clubs. It was found to measure 13 feet 9 inches in length. It was as big around as a small stove pipe.

Dr. Hill also tells of the killing of a rattlesnake 9½ feet in length by Messrs. Giles and Sanborn in the woods back of Yatesville. The snake had 16 rattles.

BIRDS PUZZLED CUSTOMS MEN.

"I had trouble with the New York customs house people when I reached that city on the Patricia a few days ago," said Carl Hartman, who has just returned from a four month's stay in Europe, to a Milwaukee Sentinel reporter. "It all arose from bringing across 24 African and Madagascar finches, birds that I bought at Hamburg for pets. I don't know to this day how the trouble originated, but there is no doubt in my mind that it arose from a misunderstanding of the rules of the agricultural department. I made out a list of the articles I had purchased abroad and submitted it to the deputy collector, who came on board the steamer. One of the articles was an umbrella stand I won at a fair in Nauheim, where I was taking the baths and drinking the waters. The cage of birds was another.

"The customs house man ran down the list with his eye until he came to the birds and made no objection. Then he took the cage and looked at the little birds with different colored heads sitting in a row on the perch. Then a thought seemed to strike him, and he said he didn't know as he could pass them. I told him I was willing to pay the duty if they were dutiable. He said there was no duty. I asked him why he was trying to hold them and he told me I had better see another clerk at one of the desks. He said there was no duty on the birds, but that he believed the agricultural department had an objection to letting strange birds into the country for fear that they might introduce disease. I knew better, and was confident that the agricultural department did not know anything about foreign birds, but I could not convince him. He told me I would have to see Mr. Wilson at the customs house. It was too late to see him that day, and the next day when I went to the customs house Mr. Wilson had gone. They told me he would be there at 9 a. m. next day, and I went to the place promptly at that hour. I found him a very pleasant gentleman who seemed to understand his business. He listened to what I had to say and then indorsed on the back of a blank paper an order for the officer to let the birds go through. That settled it and I got the birds and brought them to Milwaukee."

COUNTRY STOREKEEPER'S GRIEVANCE.

An old

QUAY BROUGHT ABOUT MEETING

"John Smith" Tried to Arrange Conference Wtih Mitchell.

ROOSEVELT NOTIFIED

He Met the Pennsylvania Senator on Thursday and Afterward Called Meeting of Miners and Operators.

"John Smith," the mysterious stranger connected with the Pittsburgh visit of President John Mitchell and Secretary-Treasurer William B. Wilson of the miners last Saturday and Sunday, is John Smith all right, but he spells it S-c-h-m-i-d-t at home, which is Scranton, Pa. He was here as the representative of ex-Congressman J. J. Connell of Scranton, who has been urging Senator M. S. Quay to go ahead in his efforts to settle the big strike.

The result of this was the summons of President Roosevelt to the anthracite operators and Mitchell for the Washington conference yesterday.

Schmidt was the go-between here of John Mitchell and Senator Quay, as the representative of Congressman Connell. He was in close touch with another agent in the east, J. S. McAnulty, a son-in-law of the congressman. McAnulty was the mysterious stranger of the Philadelphia conference on Monday, and which followed that held in Pittsburgh.

Schmidt had partly arranged a conference of the miners' leaders and Senator Quay on Sunday morning at the senator's home in Beaver. The plan was to take the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie train leaving Pittsburgh at 9:15 o'clock Sunday morning, but the arrangement was dropped for fear of its becoming public ahead of its purpose being accomplished. Schmidt talked to the senator over the long distance telephone several times.

Schmidt left here Monday night for Wilkesbarre and there met Mitchell on Tuesday. Senator Quay met the president on Thursday and notified him of the results of the conferences of Schmidt and McAnulty, and on Wednesday the president's invitation went out, presumably with the understanding that all parties would accept it. Senator Quay met the president at Washington on Thursday.

Congressman Connell is supposed to have entered some preliminary arrangements with the operators. He has been extensively interested in the collieries about Scranton, but is understood to have disposed of practically all these holdings. Yet, his relations with the operators have continued close. His friend, Senator Quay, was obviously the man to negotiate with the president, if any such dealings were necessary.

A representative of The Gazette met McAnulty at the Hotel Walton, Philadelphia, on Tuesday, and he admitted that the purpose of the Pittsburgh moves was to bring Senator Quay and John Mitchell together. He was told of the arrangement to go to Beaver Sunday morning, and exclaimed:

"Yes, why didn't you people let them alone? You spoiled it."

BAYOU COOK RIVALS BALTIMORE OYSTER

New Orleans and Other Gulf Cities Are Cutting Into Canning Trade.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BALTIMORE, MD., Oct. 3.—Local oyster packers are much concerned over the conditions in the trade, and it is said that many of the firms in which thousands find employment may be forced to curtail operations.

The high price of oysters is one cause, but this is secondary to the fact that a most decisive competition has arisen in the vast western trade of the local houses. All through the west, where the Baltimore canned oyster once reigned supreme, a vigorous rival has entered the field in the shap of the canned product from the Gulf states, especially New Orleans.

Possessing some advantages as to the cost of shipment, etc., this rival is said to be selling under the Chesapeake bay product.

FAVOR STATE CONTROL.

New Haven Citizens Demand That President Roosevelt Take Control of Coal Mines.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—A committee on coal supply will be appointed in this city. A resolution urging governmental control of the coal mines and the sending of a delegation to the Detroit convention October 9, will be voted on at the meeting of the board of aldermen on Monday.

A joint committee of aldermen and four citizens appointed by Mayor Studley held a public meeting tonight and voted to so recommend. Feeling ran high and speeches were made, advising that "a demand and not a request be made that President Roosevelt, by executive fiat, take the coal mines."

It was claimed that President Roosevelt can act as did President Lincoln, when he issued the emancipation proclamation.

Got $100 an Acre for Coal Land.

WASHINGTON, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—A block of 15,000 acres of coal land in Washington county, which the owners have been holding under an agreement for two years, was sold today to eastern capitalists by J. N. Thomas, representing the syndicate of farmers, for $100 an acre. It is said that the fuel is being bought by English manufacturers. The sale will place $1,500,000 in the hands of the farmers.

Delegates to Parkersburg.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—This city will be represented at the convention at Parkersburg, W. Va., on November 11 and 12 for the purpose of advancing the agitation for the improvement of the Ohio river. The business men's committee today appointed Capt. Milton S. Marquis, a veteran riverman, and Postmaster John P. Brown as a committee to attend the Parkersburg meeting.

Cheap Coal for Hospital.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Twenty-five tons of coal were sold today at $5.50 a ton. H. B. Crandall, coal freight agent of the Erie railroad, learning that the City hospital was in need of coal, sold a carload to Coughlin Bros., who had the city contract, at a price enabling them to sell it to the hospital at the figure named.

CHICAGO TICKETS

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Via Pennsylvania Lines. The low fare will be made account the national encampment of the Union Veteran Legion, but the sale of tickets will not be restricted to members of that organization, as anybody can purchase them at ticket offices of the Pennsylvania Lines.

CROATIAN USED RAZOR.

Keen Blade Dazzled Brakotz While Shaving—Sipzer is Held for Wife's Death.

Michael Brakotz, 38 years old, a Croatian, living at No. 1112 River avenue, Allegheny, yesterday morning while shaving suicided by cutting his throat with a razor. Brakotz had only been in this country a short time and was employed at the Westinghouse plant in West Robinson street, Allegheny. He had been ill recently. Brakotz' body was found by his boarding house landlady, Mrs. Annie Vitunac.

The coroner's jury which investigated the death of Mrs. Anna Sipzer, who died September 22, at her home, No. 10 Birmingham avenue, South Side, yesterday recommended that the dead woman's husband, John Sipzer, be held for the action of the grand jury. He was committed to jail. Mrs. Sipzer was buried two days after her death. The talk of neighbors about the actions of the woman's husband caused an investigation, and the body was exhumed and post mortem examination held, resulting in the arrest of Sipzer.

Fred Echard, 35 years old, of Port Perry, was killed yesterday morning by falling between cars at the Edgar Thomson plant at Braddock.

ORGANIZED LABOR AFTER PATTISON

IRON CITY COUNCIL DECLARES AGAINST HIM.

Controls 100,000 Votes and Calls Him Enemy to Union Labor.

The Iron City council of the American Federation of Labor has gone on record repudiating the gubernatorial candidacy of R. E. Pattison and will throw its vote to Judge Pennypacker. The council is the Pittsburgh central organization of all local and district organizations, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. This includes a great host of voters, probably 100,000, and these will be influenced almost to a man by the action of their delegates. This action was taken at the regular meeting of the council Thursday night, but was not announced till yesterday. In taking its action the council indorsed resolutions recently passed by the tin plate conference committee on behalf of the Amalgamated association, in part as follows:

Whereas, It is well known that R. E. Pattison is a most bitter enemy of organized labor as was evidenced by his action during his last administration in vetoing senate bill No. 19, providing for a better protection of wages of labor and a better system of collection, and his vetoing house bill No. 626, securing to mechanics and laborers the right to file liens on real estate for wages due. Also by sending troops to Homestead during the strike of 1892, after he had promised a committee of the workmen that no troops would be sent there, in view of the fact that Adjutant General Greenland had reported that peace prevailed and that the presence of troops was not necessary for the preservation of order; and

Whereas, It was stated to a committee of citizens of Homestead by Gen. Snowden, the representative of Gov. Pattison, that "the mills are open, and anyone whom the company permits to enter to work will be protected by the troops."

Therefore, in view of all these facts, it is resolved that we do condemn unqualifiedly and without reserve the action of former Gov. R. E. Pattison, and we recommend that all union men vote and use their influence to defeat this enemy of organized labor.

ENGLAND INTERESTED.

London Papers Praise Roosevelt's Effort, but Are Not Surprised at Its Failure.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—President Roosevelt's intervention in the coal strike attracts great attention in Great Britain. Pending its result business in the American department of the stock exchange yesterday was virtually at a standstill, and the coal market is certain to be strongly affected.

Long dispatches from the United States describing the situation are published in the newspapers this morning, which nearly all devote editorial articles to the matter, applauding President Roosevelt's courage in ignoring tradition and red tape in the endeavor to effect a settlement of the dispute, but displaying no surprise at the failure of his laudable efforts. The Standard says:

"President Roosevelt's action raises questions important to every industrial community. The question of how far ought the executive of the state to interfere in labor conflicts is a point which, like the kindred subject of international arbitration, is one on which it is easier to cherish praiseworthy ideals than to reduce them to practice."

COLORED DEPUTY SHOOTS STRIKER

Troops Are Called to Prevent More Serious Trouble at Nottingham Mine.

GOBIN AT WILKESBARRE

General Is Making Inspection of Field—Sheraden Troop Disperses Crowd at Nay Aug Washery.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 3.—There was an exciting time at the Nottingham mine of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company tonight. A negro deputy came out of the stockade, when, it is alleged, he was assaulted by some strikers. The deputy shot into the crowd and a bullet struck Joseph Yarkman, a striker, in the abdomen.

After firing the shot the negro retreated to the stockade. Soon a large crowd gathered and they threatened to tear down the stockade and take the negro out and hang him.

Col. Dougherty of the Ninth regiment dispatched six companies to the scene at once. The troops arrived just in time to prevent a serious riot. The mob was dispersed. The negro deputy who did the shooting will be handed over to the civil authorities tomorrow.

Gen. Corbin and staff arrived in town tonight. He inspected the Eighth regiment camp at Duryea today. Tomorrow he will inspect the camp of the Ninth regiment in this city and in the afternoon will leave for the Panther Creek region.

SCRANTON, PA., Oct. 3.—Gen. Gobin made a tour through the whole length of the anthracite region north of Shenandoah today in a special car visiting the camps as he went. He stated while at the Thirteenth's camp in Glyphant that his visit to the upper Lehigh, Drifton and Freeland districts in the morning satisfied him that troops should be sent there, and they will probably be sent today.

The Sheridan troop was called to Dunmore this morning to disperse a crowd which was congregating at the Nay Aug washery trying to induce workmen to quit. At the approach of the troops the crowd scattered.

READING, Oct. 3.—The Philadelphia & Reading railroad reports that since midnight last night 6,000 tons of washery and mined coal passed through this city. One train was drawn by two engines and its tonnage was reckoned at 3,000 tons.

LANCASTER, PA., Oct. 3.—The Susquehanna rolling mill of Columbia, Pa., was compelled to shut down today on account of being out of coal. It employs about 400 men.

THREE-TOED HORSES.

Prof. Osborne Reports Discovery of Important Fossils in Western Country.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Word was received today by Prof. Osborne of the American Museum of Natural History that the party of scientific explorers which went west some months ago to search for relics of extinct species of horses, had found fossils of a herd of fine, small horses.

The animals belonged to the three-toed variety, which hitherto has been known only from skulls and poor fragments of the frame.

LABOR CAR EMPTY.

Union Men Persuade Workingmen Not to Come to Pennsylvania.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Attached to the Erie western express due at Passaic, N. J., tonight, was a special car. The car had been put on to accommodate men who had been hired to go to Pennsylvania to work. It was known that agents were at work hiring men who desired work in other places, though it did not become public until today that their destination was to be the coal mines.

Seventy-five men were ready to take the train when six union men appeared. They persuaded the men to remain at Passaic. The train left with its special car empty.

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The cloths are Snowflakes, Zibelines, Cheviots, Venetians and Coverts.

Black is a leading color, of course—then come the blues and the browns and after them the more striking colors.

Two specials are:

Ladies' $15 Suits, in snowflake materials—black-and-white, blue-and-white and green-and-white. The blouse has a ripple back, and is lined with satin serge. The seven-gore skirt has side pleats at the bottom, and is finished with tabs and steel buttons. Percaline lining.

Ladies' $20 Suits, in fine blue and black cheviots. Blouse jacket trimmed with stitched taffeta silk and lined with fine taffeta. They have the new postillion backs. The nine-gore unlined flare skirt is trimmed with stitched taffeta—a neat and unostentatious suit.

Perhaps there will be a suggestion of frost in the air tomorrow—just enough to give you your first fall shiver. That's where a stylish new fall jacket, or three-quarter coat will come in just right.

Jackets and coats at any price you want to pay at the "People's Store," from $7.50 to $75.00.

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A Shoe special just in is a lot of patent "Corona" Coltskin Shoes—the best patent leather made—with mat kid tops and military heels (lace only), which we'll sell at $3, even though the manufacturer intended them for a $3.50 line.

Children's Spring Heel Shoes we have in vici kid, with patent leather tips and solid white oak leather soles. Prices $1.35 and $1.50, according to the sizes.

Men's Shoes are on the fourth floor, in the Clothing Department. One grade only—the best. One price only—$3 per pair. Variety enough to give you just what you want.

The changing season brings out other pressing needs. Doubtless some of these will meet a Sunday want:—

Women's Kid Gloves in glace, suede and mocha, overseam and pique, the dependable kind, which we do not hesitate to guarantee. Self and contrasting stitching. All the new fall colorings. $1.00 and $1.50 per pair.

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Children's Black Velvet Coats, to fit little ones from twelve months to six years old, three-quarter length and full-length, trimmed with Venetian lace, silk stitching and silk cord; pink, blue and white linings. Prices, $5, $6, $7.50 and $8.

The Panel Four-in-hand, either with embroidered panel or set-in Persian panels is the newest thing in men's neckwear. Also a swell line of brocades in black and colors. See them at 50c each.

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Brooklyn	7	Philadelphia	0
Boston	6	New York	0
Boston	4	New York	2
St. Louis	Rain.	Chicago	

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	102	36	.739	Chicago	66	69	.489
Brooklyn	78	63	.553	St. Louis	56	76	.424
Boston	72	63	.533	Philadelphia	56	81	.409
Cincinnati	70	69	.504	New York	47	87	.351

League Games Today.

Cincinnati at Exposition park.
New York at Boston.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Chicago at St. Louis.

By defeating the Cincinnati team yesterday by a score of 5 to 1, the champion Pirates reached the high-water mark in the number of victories secured by any champion team in one season, 103. The Pirates now have a chance to create a world's record in the matter of games won, and they intend going after that record this afternoon.

Yesterday's contest was an unusually interesting affair, and the 1,500 spectators found something to applaud and wonder at in every inning. The game abounded in pretty plays, some of them being of a decidedly sensational nature. In this respect the champions carried off the palm, with Honus Wagner as the leader. One play by Honus, in the sixth inning, was a hair-raiser. Vickers was at bat and he raised one of those short flies into left field which are hard to get at. Honus chased out in the direction the ball was going and coming up to the sphere he bounded into the air, twisted himself into a half knot and came down with the ball in his hands. It looked like an impossible catch, and the crowd cheered wildly.

Vickers Was in Better Form.

Rube Vickers, the tall product of the west who was given such a lambasting on the occasion of the Reds' last visit here, was on the rubber again for the visitors, and this time he did not by any means move a mark for the Pirate batsmen. The fellow really pitched a splendid game, but was unfortunate in having the locals bunch their hits on him in the second and fifth innings, when they secured all their runs. After the fifth Rube steadied down and in the following three innings the best the champions could get was one hit, which was a three-bagger by Beaumont.

Chesbro was at the front for the champions and the visitors took rather kindly to his delivery, securing, all told, 13 hits; but, unfortunately for Kelley's men, they could not bunch them so that the runs could not be scored. In order to keep the tallies down it required fast fielding on the part of the Pirates, and they were equal to the occasion, putting up a dashing display of baseball, both in the field and on the bases. With a slower team back of him Chesbro would have suffered severely, because his delivery was hit even harder than the score shows.

Runs Come in Bunches.

The Pirates did not do any scoring until in the second inning was reached; then Wagner led off with a single to left, and Bransfield, who was in the game for the first time in nearly two months, also placed a pretty single to left. Sebring bunted and beat it out, filling the bases. Ritchey hit a hot one down at second and the Reds tried for a double play but failed. Sebring was out at second and Wagner scored on Zimmer's fly out to Kelley in middle. Bransfield brought in the second run.

No more runs were scored until the fifth, when with one out Clarke was passed to first, and with Leach worked the hit and run. Tommy's single went past the spot where Corcoran had been standing and Clarke reached third on the hit. Clarke scored on Wagner's single, Leach reaching third. Tommy got in with the second run on Bransfield's fly out to Crawford. Honus then stole second and third in succession. On Ritchey's hot grounder to Corcoran Wagner should have been put out at the plate, but Farta dropped the ball after tagging the runner, and the run counted, although the Reds put up a strong kick, claiming the ball had been knocked from the catcher's hand, but this was not allowed.

The Visitors Lone Tally.

The Reds' lone tally was made in the first inning. Donlin led off with a single to middle, but was forced at second by Beckley, the latter reaching first in safety. Jake then stole second, went to third on a wild throw by Zimmer and scored on Crawford's single to left. There were other stages where runs could have been scored, but the necessary hit was not forthcoming. The score

PITTSBURGH.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Beaumont, m	4	0	2	2	0	0
Clarke, l	4	1	0	2	0	0
Leach, 3	4	1	1	2	1	0
Wagner, s	4	2	2	5	4	0
Bransfield, 1	4	1	1	7	0	0
Sebring, r	3	0	2	0	1	0
Ritchey, 2	4	0	1	4	6	0
Zimmer, c	4	0	0	5	2	1
Chesbro, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	32	5	9	27	17	1

CINCINNATI.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Donlin, l	4	0	2	3	0	0
Beckley, 1	3	1	1	10	0	0
Crawford, r	3	0	1	1	0	0
Kelley, m	4	0	2	3	0	0
Corcoran, s	4	0	2	2	2	1
Steinfeldt, 3	4	0	2	2	3	0
Morrissey, 2	3	0	1	1	3	0
Peitz, c	4	0	2	2	3	1
Vickers, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	35	1	13	24	13	2

Pittsburgh	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	—5
Cincinnati	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Three-base hit—Beaumont. Stolen bases—Clarke, Wagner (2), Sebring, Donlin, Beckley. Double play—Chesbro, Leach and Bransfield. First base on balls—Off Chesbro, 3 (Donlin, Morrissey, 3); off Vickers, 3 (Clarke 2, Sebring). Hit by pitched ball—Clarke, Peitz. Struck out—By Chesbro, 3 (Donlin, Kelley, Vickers); by Vickers, 2 (Zimmer, Chesbro). Passed balls—Zimmer, Peitz. Time—1:40. Umpire—O'Day.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

There was not more than a handful of spectators in Exposition park when the game started yesterday afternoon. This was due to the short notice that the contest would be called at 3 o'clock. Today's game, which will be the champion's windup, will also be called at 3 o'clock.

When Umpire O'Day called Donlin safe at second in the seventh, Ritchey sent up a protest that could have been heard over in the Exposition building. Donlin was on first and started for second, when Beckley hit one down at that boy. Ritchey raced over and it looked as if he was standing on the base when he made the pickup. He then shot the ball to first and claimed a double play, but the Umpire insisted that Donlin was not out.

The feature play of yesterday's game was Wagner's catch of the mon Dickcen's ball in the sixth inning. The big pitcher had popped up one of those Texas leaguers, which looked like a safety, but Honus chased out into left and in coming up to the ball, jumped like the mr. gave his body a half twist and came down with the ball in his hands. The crowd cheered Honus until he was hidden from sight on the players bench.

Jimmy Scoring brought the spectators to their feet in the fifth inning by a pretty play which prevented a Red run. Beckley was on second and Kelly on first by reason of singles and Tommy Corcoran laced the ball to right for a clean hit. Big Jake put on steam and tried to score from second, but Sebring's throw to Zimmer was a perfect one and Beckley was nailed as he slid into the plate.

Mike Donlin belongs to the superstitious class of ball players, and every time he goes to bat he is careful to step on the home plate with both feet and do a stamping. The mud from his spikes leave a mark and Michael is careful enough to get the broom and sweep away the evidence of his peculiar superstition.

In the second inning yesterday Hank O'Day threw out a new ball to Pitcher Vickers, who rubbed it lightly on the ground and straightened up to pitch. Mike Donlin let out a yell for the Rube to dirty up the ball and the cry was taken up by other Reds, but was not heeded. Finally Lord was knocked to left and Sam Crawford, securing the ball, gave it a coating of the blackest mud he could find.

The windup game of the championship season of 1902 should be a redhot affair. The champions want that world's record in victories, and will put forth their best efforts to get there. The Reds also need the game to make fourth place sure thing. It is likely that Deacon Phil will be called on to serve the benders for the Pirates and Frank Hahn will do the same act for the visitors.

There is said to have been a lively row in the Red camp at Indianapolis on Wednesday. The participants were Seymour and Thielman, and it started over a trifling incident in the game. The men went at each other in true prize ring style, and Seymour's hand was so badly hurt that he could not play and was sent home. Thielman jumped the team at Columbus and it is not known where he is.

BOSTON WON BOTH.

Buckenberger's Team Is Making a Strong Finish.

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—Boston took two games from New York today by superior playing. The first game was won in the third inning, on a pass, six hits and an error. In the second game Moran's home run, Cooley's double and singles by Dexter and Pittenger were bunched in the seventh inning, netting Boston three runs. Score:

FIRST GAME.

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Lush, m	1	1	1	0	0	Browne, l	0	1	1	1	0
Tenney, l	1	2	0	1	0	Bres'han, r	0	1	2	0	0
Dexter, r	0	1	2	0	0	Dolan, c	0	0	6	1	0
Cooley, l	0	0	4	0	0	Brodie, m	0	1	5	0	0
Carney, r	1	1	2	0	0	Lauder, 3	0	0	1	1	0
Grom'er, 3	1	1	1	3	0	Smith, 2	0	0	2	2	0
Kittridge, c	0	1	4	0	0	Robb'n, s	0	0	3	1	0
Willis, p	1	0	2	0	0	Miller, p	0	1	1	2	0
Totals	6	7	27	15	2	Totals	0	5	24	8	3

Boston	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	—6
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Two-base hit—Kittridge. Stolen bases—Tenney 2, Long. Bases on balls—Off Willis, 1; off Miller, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Carney. Struck out—By Willis, 1; by Miller, 1. Wild pitch—Miller. Time—1:20. Umpire—Irwin. Attendance—1,854.

SECOND GAME.

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Lush, m	0	2	3	0	0	Browne, l	1	2	1	0	0
Tenney, l	1	1	0	1	0	Bres'han, r	1	1	0	0	0
Dexter, r	0	0	1	0	0	Dolan, c	0	1	5	0	0
Cooley, l	0	1	3	0	0	Brodie, m	0	2	6	0	0
Carney, r	0	1	3	1	0	Slo'man, c	0	1	5	2	0
Grom'er, 3	0	1	1	2	0	Smith, 2	0	1	3	2	0
Moran, c	1	1	5	2	0	Smith, s	0	0	1	3	1
Pitt'ger, p	1	1	1	0	1	Mat'son, r	0	1	3	0	0
						Cronin, p	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	4	8	27	9	1	Totals	2	7	24	7	2

Boston	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	*	—4
New York	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Two-base hits—Bresnahan, Cooley. Home run—Moran. Stolen bases—Lush, Pittenger. Double play—Long and Tenney. Bases on balls—Off Pittenger, 1; off Cronin, 3. Struck out—By Pittenger, 4; by Cronin, 3. Wild pitch—Cronin, 1. Time—1:55. Umpire—Irwin.

GARVIN'S FINE WORK.

Quakers Couldn't Size His Curves, and Were Shutout.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3.—Brooklyn shut out Philadelphia today in a well-played game. Garvin's pitching was of a high order. Attendance 361. Score:

Brook.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Cas'rd, l	1	1	2	0	0	Barry, l	0	1	0	0	0
Keeler, r	1	2	1	0	0	Hulsitt, r	0	1	7	0	0
Dolan, m	1	0	4	0	0	Jennings, 1	0	1	9	1	0
Dahlen, 1	1	1	2	4	0	Fleming, r	0	2	0	0	0
Farrell, 1	0	2	10	0	0	Doolin, c	0	0	6	2	0
Flood, 2	1	1	2	2	1	Green, 3	0	0	0	1	1
Irwin, 3	1	2	1	3	0	Childs, 2	0	0	3	2	0
Ritter, c	1	2	5	0	0	Iberg, p	0	0	1	1	0
Garvin, p	0	1	0	2	0	Dug'by, p	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	7	12	27	12	1	Totals	0	7	27	12	1

Brooklyn	2	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	—7
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Two-base hits—Dahlen, Irwin, Barry. Sacrifice hit—Dolan. Double play—Dahlen, Flood and Farrell. Left on bases—Brooklyn 7, Philadelphia 7. First base on balls—Off Iberg 3, Struck out—By Garvin 5, by Iberg 1, by Dugdale 3. Passed ball—Doolin. Wild pitch—Garvin. Time—1:30. Umpires—Emslie and Latham.

Wilmington Team Shut Out.

ALTOONA, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Well was it good form today and shut out Wilmington A. A. with ease, only one runner reaching third base and but two reaching second. He also batted in three runs, Blough being easy for Altoona. Millvale plays here tomorrow. Score:

									R.	H.	E.
Altoona	0	1	1	2	1	2	0	0	*	—7	11
Wilmington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0	5

Batteries—Veil and Lee, Blough and Mahler. Attendance—1,100.

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CLOSE FINISHES IN MANY RACES

There Was Fine Weather and Big Crowd at Gravesend.

FINE DAY FOR FAVORITES

Four Managed to Get to the Front and Help Out Their Backers—W. C. Whitney's New Horse Won Her Race.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Oct. 3.—The continued fine weather of the past few days drew a big crowd to Gravesend today. The track was in good condition and some good racing was seen. The finishes were close.

The Hitchcock steeplechase was won by the favorite, Fulminate. Judith Campbell, the two-year-old which W. C. Whitney purchased yesterday from J. E. Madden, won the fifth race. She was a 3-to-5 favorite, and won easily. Four favorites won. Summaries

Good Thing at the Start.

First race, for maiden 2-year-olds, selling, about 6 furlongs—Ponce, 105, Shaw, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, won; Phaon, 112, Smith, 15 to 1 and 8 to 1, second; Wyen-id, 109, O'Connor, 40 to 1 and 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:12. Gallant Smith, Illyria, Pearl, Sweet Marjoria, Star and Garter, Witful, Refferdin, Corusca, Fair Lass, Ink, Meddling Mary, Catherine Chinn and Raglets also ran.

Second race, the Hitchcock steeplechase, handicap, about 2½ miles—Fulminate, 135, Ray, 9 to 10 and out, won; *Scotch Bush, 146, Carson, 11 to 10 and out, second; *Zinziber, 140, Heider, 11 to 10 and out, third. Time, 5:03 2-5. *Adjidaumo, Perfect and Sixth Dorrell fell; Scotch Bush, Adjidaumo and Zinziber coupled.

Third race, for all ages, handicap, 1⅛ miles—Advance Guard, 124, Odom, 3 to 5 and 1 to 4, won; Daly, 89, Creamer, 8 to 1 and 7 to 5, second; St. Finnan, 95, Redfern, 7 to 2 and 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:54. Satire also ran.

Fourth race, for 2-year-olds, handicap, about 6 furlongs—Interval, 111, Redfern, 3 to 1 and 8 to 5, won; Squid, 96, Creamer, 60 to 1 and 20 to 1, second. Time, 1:11 4-5. Incubator, Toscan and Erors also ran.

Fifth race, for all ages, 8½ furlongs—Judith Campbell, 102, Cochran, 3 to 5 and out, won; Honestella, 116, Shaw, 7 to 2 and 3 to 5, second; Joe Cobb, 100, Redfern, 20 to 1 and 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:48. Circus and Franklyn C. also ran.

Sixth race, for 2-year-olds and up, selling, about 6 furlongs—Clarita, 106, Odom, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, won; King Pepper, 113, Redfern, 5 to 2 and even, second; Llischen, 85, Shea, 100 to 1 and 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:10 4-5. Empyre, Hokanda, Belleric, True Blue, Jolen, Barleycorn, Glennellis, Ascension, Operator, Lady Radnor, Correll D., Oclawaha and Bodlam also ran.

The Gravesend Entries for Tomorrow.

First race, Highweight handicap, about 6 furlongs—Young Henry, 140; Belvino, Syrilla, 1141; Mabel Hoskinds, 132, Arden, Ben Howard, 128; Kingraine, 121; Belle of Lexington, 125; Mart Mullen, 115; Jack O'Lantern, Geisha Girl, 115; Onguridis, 114.

Second race, selling 5½ furlongs—McWilliams, 108; Brunswick, 107; Ethlon, Kingraine, 106; Kalif, Wild Pirate, 105; Malster, Handicapper, 103; Booster, 100; Rappenecker, 101; Lady Sterling, Rosalgrol, 97; Numeral, 96.

Third race, the Prospect, about 6 furlongs—Golden Maxim, 122; Hurstbourne, 116; River Pirate, 114; Judith Campbell, Fire Water, Injunction, Sir Voorhies, 112. Plater, 109; Oliphant, 108, Asmalia, 104, Merry Acrobat, 101, Gold Van, 97; Love Note, 86; Kentucky Rose, 90.

Fourth race, the Oriental, 1¼ miles—Blues, 121; Hermis, 127, Advance Guard, 125, Albert, 122; Col. Bill, 120; Sombrero, 117; Bonnibert, 116; Ignitor, 113; Andy Williams, 104; Pearl Finder, 88.

Fifth race, selling, 5½ furlongs—Hackensack, 112; Scoffer, Semper Vivax, 110; Blue Banner, Lady Josephine, 109; Galiani Smith, Bobby Cecil, 107; Sir Treston, Ithan, 103; Mount Hope, Kittanning, 102; Albany Girl, Aneke, 99; Ringdove, 97.

Sixth race, 8½ furlongs—Arden, 118; Zoroaster, Jim Clark, Lady, 115; Bellario, 111; Fred Krupp, 111; Brunswick, Mabel Winn, 107; Curtnay, 103; Oclawaha, 100.

Seventh race, 5½ furlongs—Princess Tulane, 119; Attorney, 112; Dinkie, 109; Lord Turco, 108; Miss Dorothy, 107; Sheriff Bell, 106; Michaelmas, Barkelmore, 102; Right and True, 101; Sontag, Model Prince, 99; Hist, 97; Florham Queen, Anna Daly, 93; Dumlace, 94.

SENSATIONAL FINISH.

Steeplechase at Harlem Was a Spectacular Event.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Bristol, Henry Gibbs and Crest furnished a sensational finish in the steeplechase which was by far the most spectacular jumping race seen on the local tracks this year. The three, which finished in the order named, were under a hard drive all throughout the stretch, after turning on the main track, and Bristol, coming with a tremendous rush, on to the extreme inside, got up just in time to win from the long shot, Henry Gibbs, by a neck. Weather threatening; track heavy. Summary:

First race, 6 furlongs—Balm of Gilead, 112, Coburn, 1 to 2, won; Howendobler, 109, Donnelly, 7 to 1, second; Rose of May, 109, S. Bonner, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:25 1-5. Sol, Reese and Toutian also ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Leash, 102, Helgeson, 6 to 5, won; Pittenger, 102, Richardson, 18 to 1, second; Arvensis, 105, Robbins, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:12 3-5. Animula, Amorous, The Counselor, John Powers and Tucker Cox also ran.

Third race, steeplechase, short course—Bristol, 141, T. Murphy, 9 to 2, won; Henry Gibbs, 132, Zeno, 30 to 1, second; Crest, 145, McAuliffe, 7 to 2, third. Time, 3:40. Old Fox, Tatar, Capt. Conover, Harv. B., David S. and Pearful also ran.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs—Mr. Dingle, 110, Prior, 15 to 1, won; Style, 107, Donnelly, 11 to 2, second; Musical Slipper, 107, Wilkerson, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:10. Small Talk, Judge Hill, Miss Demarie, Bay Dower and Brockton also ran.

Fifth race, one mile—Hoodwink, 107, Helgeson, 11 to 20, won; Chickadee, 107, W. Hicks, 8 to 1, second; Pilforn, 104, Donnelly, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:50 3-5. Only three starters.

Sixth race, one mile and 70 yards—Charley Moore, 108, Seaton, 5 to 1, won; Star Cotton, 105, Reiff, 7 to 1, second; Evelyn Byrd, 97, McIntire, 6 to 1, third. Time, 2:04 2-5. Bomnidge, False Lead and Whitcomb also ran.

Entries for tomorrow:

First race, 6 furlongs—Indian II., 104; Tom Embry, 107; Time, 1:50; Sea Spray, 97; Prue, 94; Chickadee, 83; Sand Flea, 88.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Aline Abbott, 107; Prairie Dog, Private Nolan, 105; Fairbury, 99; Gracious, 94; Brazil, 91; Refferdin, Corusca, Fair Lass, Ink, Meddling Mary, Catherine Chinn and Raglets also ran.

Third race, Tecumseh handicap, 1⅝ miles—Lucien Appleby, 118; Searcher, 108; Flying Torpedo, 115; Aladdin, 109; Corrigan, 108; Little Elkin, 106; Alaska, 98.

Fourth race, Conlonguy handicap—Jack Demund, 115; Fake, 112; St. Cuthbert, 110; Duelist, 104; Gregor K., 96; Louise Collier, 92; Abolo, 105.

Fifth race, 1⅛ miles—Alaska, 102; Barrack, 101; Obstinate Simon, 100; Irving Mayer, 94; Star Cotton, 90.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Meropa, 103; Bandello, Compess, 102; Orla, 100; Della Ostrand, 99; Alee, 94.

AN ALLEGED RINGER.

Joe Wilkes Won His Race, but Does Not Get the Purse.

BELLEFONTE, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Three thousand people attended the county fair today and saw the pulling off of two interesting races. When Princeaway, who was beaten in the 2:16 class yesterday, won the 2:20 today the crowd went wild with cheers. When Joe Wilkes scored a victory in the 2:25 class a protest was lodged with the judges, claiming that Joe Wilkes was a ringer, and not entitled to start or take first money. Evidence must be produced that Joe Wilkes is an Oscar Wilkes horse before the purse is paid. The summaries:

2:23, trot and pace, $200:

Joe Wilkes, br. h. (Faux)	1	1	1
Verses Hall, bh. (Clymer)	2	2	3
Hartford, bg. (Tompkins)	3	4	2
Willie Ricketts, rm. (Middletg)	6	3	4
Williams Hi, sg. (McCoy)	5	5	5
Alice M., bm. (Coe)	4	6	6

Time, 2:20½, 2:24½, 2:27½.

2:20 trot and pace, purse $300:

Princeaway, br. h. (Shertle)	1	1	1
Susanna, bm. (Shertle)	2	2	2
Caymont, gg. (Patchle)	3	4	3
Drollery, bm. (Mudagh)	4	3	4
Miss Ingram, bm. (Glover)	5	dr	

Time, 2:24¾, 2:24¼, 2:22½.

Elders Ridge Team Ready.

ELDERS RIDGE, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The Elders Ridge academy football team opens the season tomorrow with Freeport at that place. The first game was to have been played last Saturday with Leechburg, but was not owing to a misunderstanding. Although most of the players were new the coaches have been putting them through some hard practice and are well satisfied with the result. W. P. Dixon has been elected captain of the football team and B. P. Mellon manager of the basketball team.

RAIN ONCE MORE SPOILED RACING

Horses Were at Post When There Was a Heavy Downpour.

WIND-UP COMES TODAY

Horsemen from All Over the Country at Oakley Track to Witness 2:11 Trotters Go for a Big Purse.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Cincinnati, Oct. 3.—Rain spoiled what promised to be the greatest program ever offered on the grand circuit at Oakley today. The track was in good condition until the horses were called to the post for the first heat of the 2:14 trot. Then a heavy shower came up and the horses were sent to the barn and the card put over until tomorrow.

Horsemen were present today from all parts of the United States and Canada to witness the Ohio purse race for 2:11 trotters. The stake is worth $10,000 and all the crack racers of the season were to face the starters, among them the blind wonder, Rhythmic, winner of the Merchants and Manufacturers at Detroit and many big stakes in the east; Susie J., winner of the Brighton; Amozella, victor in the Charter Oak; Major Delmar, who captured the Massachusetts stake; Nutbearer, winner of the Roger Williams and others. The betting was 2½ to 1 on Major Delmar.

Tomorrow will wind up the Oakley meeting and also bring the grand circuit to an end. From here the horses go to Lexington, Ky., for the great October independent meeting of the Kentucky Breeders' association. Cresceus will be shipped to Memphis, where he will again go for a record.

If the track shall be good tomorrow, today's and tomorrow's program will be combined. The feature will be the attempt of Dan Patch to lower the world's pacing record of 1:59¾.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

Primrose will play the Latrobe A. C. at Latrobe this afternoon. All players will report at the Union Station at 12:30.

The Etna A. C. will play at Bridgeville today and expect to add another victory to their long list of games for this season.

The Madison Tigers' second team would like to hear from any good 60 to 70-pound team. Address W. E. Pritchard, corner Canter and Herron avenue, city.

The Tigers will play the Americus club of Duquesne this afternoon at Ingram. All 110-pound teams desiring games with Ingram, address Clyde L. Ross, Ingram, Pa.

All Unique players are to report at Fourth avenue and Smithfield street at 1 o'clock sharp, as they play the Sterlings at Wilkinsburg. Game called at 3 p. m.

The Greenfield A. C. would like to arrange games with all 110 to 115-pound teams in Western Pennsylvania. Address Thomas Eynian., Box 265, or call up Bell 'phone, 546 Court.

The Mifflin Reserves are without a game today, and would like to hear from any 70 in 90-pound team being without a game. Call up 1160 Grant any time before noon and ask for Simon.

This afternoon the Pittsburgh Deaf Mute A. C. will line up against the Sewickley Y. M. C. A. on the grounds of the latter. The P. D. M. A. C. players are requested to report at the Union depot at 2 o'clock sharp.

Captain Marlow of the Brightons requests the following players to report at grounds at 7:15 sharp: Graham, Becker, Cassel, Parks, Reese, Algo, Ackley, Ludwick, Kimberland, L. Algo, F. Graham, Leslie Bailey.

The Canonsburg football team has organized for the season, and would like to hear from all teams weighing no less than an average of 150 pounds, for games for October and November and 125 pounds for A. Sneaft, Manager.

The Coraopolis Indians would like to arrange games with 65 to 75-pound teams for October 11 and 18, to be played at Coraopolis. All teams desiring games with the Indians will get fair treatment. Address Joseph P. Klein, Coraopolis, Pa.

The Rhody Wallace A. C. of Millvale will play the Pittsburgh College second team at Vermont park this afternoon, and a good game is expected. Bauer and Callahan will act as batterymen for the Wallaces and Rhody Wallace will umpire the game.

The Manchester team will play at Carnegie this afternoon. The following players report at Liberty and Fifth street at 2:45 o'clock: Dunn, Barnes, Williams, Rebeler, Garom, Caldwell, Skillinger, Richmeimer, Roll, Hauff, Tates, DeMuth, Sauers and Gamble.

The following players of the Pastime A. C. will report at Ellis station at 12:30 today: Cook, Barbin, McElligott, Wood, McCormick, Scandrett, Forrest, Burke, Anthony, Butler, Mercer, Mackrell, Rieson, Coleridge, Erskin, McAteer and Cullinon. Pastimes play at McKeesport City.

The Emeralds play Dravosburg academy eleven this afternoon. All Emerald players must report to Capt. Mackey at club room at 1:00 p. m. Manager Donnelly would like to hear from any good out-of-town teams for October 11. Adress E. M. Donnelly, No. 2706 Carson street, South Side.

The Pastime second team will line up against the strong Brighton team of Allegheny at the latter's grounds. All players will please report at Ninth street and Penn avenue at 2 o'clock sharp. McPoland, Eastly, Rapp, Roberts, Cunningham, Carr, Broadrick, Cavanaugh, Gardner, Wyatt, Summerville, Mercer, Crumen.

Pittsburgh Reserves play West Side Lake at Elliott today and all Reserve players are requested to report at Penn avenue and Twenty-sixth street at 1 o'clock sharp. Reserves have November 1 to 27 still open and any good team wishing to fill their schedule with these dates please write Manager at 1812 Penn avenue.

There will be a hot old time at Friendship park this afternoon when the Wilebilde A. C. and Smithfield Saints clash in a football rush, each other for supremacy on the gridiron. The teams are evenly matched and this fact will insure a fast, scientific contest. All W. A. C. players are requested to report at club. Game commences at 3:45 sharp.

The Quakers play the Bedford A. C. of South Side at South Side Recreation park today. All players are requested to report at the corner of Fifth avenue and Grandview street at 2:30 sharp. All teams in the 100-pound class wanting games for November, address Homer Roe, manager, 115 East Jefferson street, Allegheny.

TheUndercliff Gun club held a special meeting Thursday to elect new officers, owing to the death of its former president, C. F. Sorg. The new officers are: President, J. B. Swindell; vice president, Wm. Wagner; secretary, Louis P. Schriber; treasurer, Ollie Williams. The club will hold a shoot once a month at Undercliff and all sportsmen desiring to practice are invited to attend.

Duquesne A. C. will close the baseball season today with a game at Kennywood park with a picked team from Duquesne and McKeesport, which is to have some minor league players in the line-up and will try to defeat D. A. C. Game called at 2:30 p. m. Batteries—D. A. C., Savey and Yolton; All Stars, Cloonan and Hughes.

The Original Foster A. C. of Lawrenceville and Rose A. A. of Braddock will meet on the latter's grounds today. Manager Brown would like the following players to report at 1 o'clock sharp at Butler street: Lloyd, D. Bear, Murphy, McFall, Shaffer, Pollard, F. Beare, Feigenbaum, Hart, Hanley, Everson and Brown. For games address Thos. E. Brown, rear 140 Forty-second street.

This afternoon on Herron hill the Tigers of Allegheny and the Tigers of Pittsburg will come together. The Tigers are 90-pound champions of Western Pennsylvania, and the Madison Tigers are heavier and have been putting up quite a strong game this year. The Tigers will carry a crippled team, but most of the regular stars will be in line, and it is certain that there will be a very pretty exhibition of the game.

The Sycamore A. C. plays the North Ends on the latter's grounds at 3 o'clock. The following Sycamore players must report not later than 2:30 o'clock: Stem, DeMoss, Killen, Black, McCarthy, Perrell, Bentle, Feeney, Colburn, Lounder, Knapp, Hamilton and Whitesides. Any 80 to 85-pound teams desiring games address Leo J. Loughran, Box 239, Pittsburgh, Pa., or Bell 'phone 867 Court, P. & A. 1137 Main.

There will be something doing this afternoon at the Millvale Baseball park when the Imperials and the Millvale Juniors come together. There has been a great rivalry between the two and a good game is expected. The following players of the Imperials are requested to report at the corner of Chatham and Wylie avenue at 1 p. m. sharp: Fiore, Herrington, Merka, McClelish, Sweeny, Doran, Boyle, Booth, Ivill and Gelgus. Ivill and Gelgus will be the batteries for the Imperials.

"Grippy" Headache, Catarrh.—Much suffering is due to the after effects of La Grippe, such as catarrh, catarrhal headache, inflamed nasal passages and offensive dropping in the throat. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder is the sworn enemy to all head colds, headache and catarrh. It clears the throat and nasal passages and stops the pain over the eyes in ten minutes. Get it today. It cures radically. —15.

IMPAIRED SIGHT

THE BIG ELEVEN'S FIRST REAL TEST

Pittsburgh's Football Team Will Play Its First Game.

LOTS OF TALENT ON HAND

Coach Richardson Has Many Players and Will Give All a Full Trial—Big Crowd of Rooters Will Be There.

Today's Big Football Games.

Tale vs. Amherst at New Haven.
Harvard vs. Bates at Cambridge.
Princeton vs. Lehigh at Princeton.
Cornell vs. Union at Ithaca.
Pennsylvania vs. State at Philadelphia.
Columbia vs. Rutgers at New Brunswick.
Georgetown vs. Annapolis at Annapolis.
W. U. P. vs. Pittsburgh at Greensburg.
W. and J. vs. Marietta at Washington.
Geneva vs. Pittsburgh College at Beaver Falls.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Greensburg, Pa., Oct. 3.—Coach Richardson put the Pittsburgh eleven through two lengthy practices today in preparation for tomorrow's game with Western University of Pennsylvania team, and it was a tired lot of players that ran up the big hill to the training quarters at the conclusion of the work in the afternoon. In the morning a cross country run of five miles and an hour's signal work was sufficient to tire out the men, but this afternoon a second signal practice of over two hours was held.

Richardson is well pleased with the condition of the men for tomorrow and while he does not aim at running up a big score, he expects a creditable showing to be made. Miller and Sherlock reported today. Both have had the signals for a week and they went through the various formations without a slip up. Miller was tried at half, replacing Dushane, and he made an excellent running mate for the speedy Crollus. Sherlock took Richardson's place at quarter, the coach giving all his attention to the perfecting of the details of the formations. All the players who have reported to Manager Berry will be tried out in tomorrow's game. The line-up of the elevens will be:

Pittsburgh.		W. U. P.
Hare-Donohoe	L. E.	Jackson
Lang-Highurst	L. T.	Mayer
Kirkpatrick	L. G.	Mohn
Shiring	C.	Sanker
McNulty	R. G.	Douglass
McCutcheon-Barney	R. T.	Sweeney
Ehrentz	R. E.	Rush
Richardson-Hare		
Sherlock	Q. B.	Carpenter
Miller-Dushane	L. H.	Martin
Crollus	R. H.	McKee
McChesney	F. B.	Sechrist

Greensburgers have taken a wonderful interest in the game and this afternoon several hundred enthusiasts were at Athletic park. A big attendance is assured for tomorrow. Manager Berry has reserved a section of the stand for the Pittsburghers who will attend the game.

COLLEGE TEAMS WILL MEET.

Geneva and Pittsburgh College Elevens Will Do Battle.

Pittsburgh College and Geneva College elevens will play their opening game of the season this afternoon at Beaver Falls. A good game may be expected, as the Pittsburgh College team is the strongest that has represented the college on the bluff for years, and Geneva is out for the championship of Western Pennsylvania. The lineup of the teams is as follows:

Geneva College.		Pittsburgh College.
Hill	L. E.	Hay
Martin	L. T.	Hickson or F. Mayer
Finney or Sterrett	L. G.	Newell
McKean	Center.	Mondall
Edgar	R. G.	Wimer
Leech	R. T.	Wall or Hampton
Critchlow	R. E.	Doyle or Berner
McAulis	Q. B.	Huckestein or Davis
Thompson	L. H.	
Walkinshaw	L. H.	Scanlon
Schmit or Brown	R. H.	Flanagan
East or Barnes	F. B.	Ellson

The Start at Mt. Pleasant.

MT. PLEASANT, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The local football season will open here tomorrow afternoon, when the Tigers will meet the Scottdale High school eleven. The line up of the Tigers will contain several new men, and these players will be given an opportunity to show their worth in tomorrow's game. The local team is again after the amateur championship of Westmoreland and Fayette counties and also hopes to continue the splendid record of victories as made last year, consisting of nine straight victories.

College Eleven a Strong One.

Cottage will play their first game of the season this afternoon with the Bellevue A. C. at Homewood. In organizing the Cottage team Manager Morgan has had the support of a number of the business men of Homewood and with the talent now secured Cottage will have one of the strongest teams in this section. The boys have had but two evenings' practice and do not expect to show their full strength today. Hill of last year's Stanford university is coaching the team.

Victory for East Liberty.

The East Liberty academy football team went up to Greensburg yesterday and defeated the high school eleven by a score of 6 to 0. The East Liberty score was made in the first half by Zanbeiser and Askin kicked goal. The game was witnessed by a large crowd and was quite exciting.

Claims a Pirate Star.

A special telegram from Detroit announces that Owner Augus of the Detorit team claims to have a star outfielder of the Pittsburgh club all but signed. Mr. Angus is decidedly silent regarding the player's name.

THE DAY'S HAPPENINGS.

—Three cases of typhoid fever and three of diphtheria were reported to the bureau of health yesterday.

—William X. Evans, 65 years old, is in a critical condition at the Butler street hospital, from a fall down stairs.

—Hoffman Winterburn, a Water street barber, was held for court on a charge of stealing $101 and a gold watch from C. A. Hausman.

—Mrs. Martin Flood, Mrs. Martin Flood, Mrs. Lettin Hawkins of No. 511 Taylor avenue, Allegheny, $10 yesterday for abusing her 15-year-old daughter Bertha.

—William A. Means of Lake street was committed to the Allegheny jail by Alderman McMasters on a charge of embezzlement made by William M. Ungt of the Equitable Life Insurance Company.

—The glass roof of the Phipps conservatory in Schenley park is being again cleaned of the red ore dust which showered over the park and Oakland from the furnaces of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company.

—Franklin Miller, of the Thirty-sixth ward, fell in a stupor in the corridor of the court house yesterday morning and his friends claim he was drugged. Miller is the prosecutor in a case in criminal court and it was said he was given knockout drops in a glass of whisky.

—The 501st free organ recital will be given in Allegheny Carnegie Music hall this afternoon at 3 o'clock by H. J. P. Ecker, assisted by W. C. Dalby, formerly of Buffalo, and John F. Chambers.

—The eighth season of free organ recitals in Pittsburgh Carnegie Music hall will begin this evening and tomorrow afternoon. The recitals will be in charge of Walter E. Hall.

—The entire plant of the McClintic-Marshall Company at Rankin shut down early yesterday morning on account of the breaking of a shaft of the large engines. One thousand men were rendered idle. It is expected to have the break repaired Monday.

—The friends of Frank Dzenzo, the Italian who was murdered in a shanty at Pitcairn, last week, have offered a reward of $200 for the capture of Mero Serretti, the alleged murderer.

—The Hays borough council last night accepted the resignation of Borough Solicitor H. M. Bellis. Councilmen granting the right-of-way to the Bell Telephone Company and regulating the speed of trolley cars were held over.

—Recorder Brown yesterday ordered Delinquent Tax Collector Ostermaier to advertise all delinquent taxpayers for the year 1902. This is an unprecedented action, as it is always customary to wait until the following year. The refusal of the controller to allow the city to borrow money is responsible.

FLOOD CITY MAN ACTIVE IN POLITICS.

CHARLES YOUNG.

Mr. Young is one of the youngest and most active business men in Johnstown. When the Flood City undertakes anything big in the way of celebrations or holiday observance, Mr. Young is always at the head and front. He is a director of unusual ability. The recent Elks' carnival in Johnstown, of which he was the head, proved a magnificent success under his superior management.

MAHER BESTED BY JACK O'BRIEN

IRISH CHAMPION NEARLY OUT IN FIRST ROUND

The Bell Was All That Saved Peter from the Count, Peter Was Punished Severely.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3.—"Jack" O'Brien of this city, the middle and heavyweight champion of England and the acknowledged rival of "Tommy" Ryan for American middleweight honors, outclassed Peter Maher, the Irish champion heavyweight in six fast rounds before the Ariel Athletic club at Thirteenth and Filbert streets tonight. The bell saved Maher from a crushing defeat right in the first round, as he was dropped to the stage by a cleverly timed right-hand cross counter five seconds before the round ended, Maher being scarcely able to stagger to his corner.

The minute's rest worked marvels, however, and while he was wary, O'Brien kept jabbing him in a most tantalizing fashion with straight and swinging left-hand work. In the second, third and fourth rounds Maher made a feeble effort with right-hand blows, but they were not well timed and not infrequently did he lose his balance and received vicious jabs in return.

In the fifth and sixth rounds Maher made a desperate effort to snatch victory from defeat, but his attempts were cleverly blocked and only twice in the entire six rounds did he land blows which were effective. Once he caught O'Brien with a right-hand lead and again he caught the English champion napping with a double body blow. He, however, lacked the steam to follow up any advantage gained and O'Brien seemed none the worse from the blows.

O'Brien's clever feinting apparently disconcerted Maher and the latter was often puzzled by the former's clever ducking of right-hand swinging leads. Maher took an awful gruelling, but pluckily fought the entire six rounds. By an accidental lunge in the last round their heads came together and Maher lost a tooth, while O'Brien received a cut on the forehead.

THE SAME LINEUP.

Washington-Jefferson Eleven Ready to Meet Marietta.

WASHINGTON, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Tonight Coach Greene repented of his purpose to start the same places in tomorrow's game with Marietta and the lineup will be as it was last Saturday as follows: Sutter, left end; Heimberger, left tackle; Louchs, left guard; Sweet, center; Murphy, right guard; Gibson, right tackle; Francis, right end; McDonough, quarter; Sherrard, left half; McFarland and Welty, right half; Prowlit, full back. Capt. Hays has been out of practice for two days on account of an injured side and will likely be out of the game tomorrow. The following list of Marietta players has been received here, although their positions are not stated: Stone, Wood, Dentz, Strong, C. Brokaw, Carroll, Scott, Sweney, H. Brokaw, Williams, Wallace, Chadwick, Highley and Fuller.

WILL BOOM HANDBALL.

Local Experts Getting Ready for a Busy Season.

The Woodlake handball team will hold its elections next week for the coming season, when all players are requested to report. Mr. Sasanen will soon return from his trip abroad and it is expected he will arrange games with some of the crack eastern teams. Games have already been arranged with Columbus, Erie and Cincinnati.

It is the intention of the management to open the indor season with Buerger and Wiesenfeld playing any team that can be got together. Should the games take a good hold, it is more than likely that Mr. Sasanen will erect a costly court, and with such players as Wianop, Irwin and Buerger, the importation of eastern cracks would be unnecessary.

Last Races at Stoneboro.

MERCER, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The last day of the Stoneboro fair drew but a small crowd and the races were all pulled off in the one, two, three order and were void of interest. The results were as follows:

2:24 pace or 2:22 trot, purse $250.

Ray Hal, J. H. Lesner, Edinboro	1	1	1
Kittens, Frank McDowell, Sharpsville	2	2	2
Harry Beaton, S. G. Mahl, Shippensville	3	3	3
Sleepy Jim, Joseph Simons, Espyville	4	4	4

Time—2:20¼, 2:23½, 2:26¾.

Free-for-all, purse $300.

Klondyke, J. C. Elliott, West Middlesex	1	1	1
Eph Cinders, J. C. Mom, Mercer	2	4	2
Blacklander, George Chamberlain, Burton, O.	4	2	4
Ashtabula Hal, A. D. Richards, Andover, O.	3	3	3

Time—2:18¾, 2:22½, 2:17¾.

2:30 special, purse $200.

Hal, P. Hanalty, Franklin	1	1	1
Dove Eye, George Carr, Youngstown	2	2	2
Hattie Wilkes, G. W. Lonbaugh, Erie	3	5	3
Harry Sultan, P. Clark, Erie	5	4	5
Pin Oak, W. Gearing, Franklin	4	3	4

Time—2:20¾, 2:20¼, 2:20¼.

The Burgettstown Fair Races.

BURGETTSTOWN, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—The attendance at the fair here today was 4,500. Although the track was heavy, some good racing took place. Summaries:

2:50 pace, purse $80:

Rosie Ott, b. m., J. M. Clark	2	2	2
Calot Boy, b. g., E. Worth	1	1	1
John M., b. g., Thomas Donehoo	3	4	3
Bessie D., J. F. Allison	4	3	4

Time, 2:34½, 2:31, 2:35.

Free-for-all race, purse $200:

Texas Queen, b. m., W. A. Walker	2	1	1
Syrena, b.m., S. D. Moore	1	2	2
F. E. Conn, br. h., C. P. Buckanon	3	3	3
Maud, g. m., J. T. Allison	4	4	4

Time, 2:27¼, 2:27¼, 2:29, 2:28.

2:30 trot, purse $150:

Virginia Maid, b. m., W. H. Boyd	2	1	2
George B., s. g., R. Worth	1	2	1
Agle Boy, b. s.	3	3	4
Happy Wanderer, br. s., John T. Patterson	4	4	3

Time, 2:48, 2:47½, 2:39½, 2:37¼.

Ading to His Record.

W. E. Ledger of Turtle Creek and his two small children are the latest persons to be injured by a crazy horse, which has become famous throughout the valley for causing the injury of almost every person who rides behind him. The horse backed over a steep bank, smashing the wagon and seriously injuring the children. Twelve people have been hurt by the horse, which, within a month, has had four owners.

JOSEPH ALLEN IS NOT GUILTY

Jury Finds Him Innocent of the Murder of Achsah King.

DEFENSE'S STRONG CASE

District Attorney Convinced No Person Will Ever Be Convicted of the Crime—Masterful Arguments Took Three Hours.

"No person will ever be convicted of the murder of Achsah King in Allegheny county," said District Attorney Haymaker after the jury in the case of Joseph Allen brought in a verdict acquitting him of that crime. "The commonwealth's case was as perfect as any case could be, and the same testimony could not be used against another. It is a curious case, the testimony being so conflicting, and the commonwealth did its best to secure a conviction. It demonstrates that one cannot tell the outcome of a trial until the last witness is heard and the jury has rendered its verdict. I believe I will put a fence around one part of this county if I ever have another case in which it is connected."

After the verdict attorneys crowded about Attorney Rody P. Marshall and his assistant, Walter Sullivan, congratulating them on the outcome of probably the most remarkable murder case in the history of the county. Mr. Marshall started that he was convinced of the innocence of his client from the first. He said that if $10,000 had been spent on the preparation of the case it could not have been more perfect.

Sullivan Got Credit.

He gave Sullivan a great deal of credit for his part in the case. The young man who was raised in T. M. Marshall's office, prepared the evidence under Attorney Marshall's direction, and the chain was so strong that all the skill of District Attorney Haymaker could not break it down.

Harry O'Donnell and Frank Curran were called yesterday morning in an effort to overthrow the testimony of Peter McGraw and Mrs. Low, two of Allen's strongest witnesses.

Judge Stowe permitted the defense to call George Kane in Allen's behalf. Kane testified that he was with Allen on the afternoon of the murder, when he was alleged to have been in the company of the King woman. He said he had several drinks with Allen, and that Achsah King was not with them.

Attorney Marshall in his argument went over the entire testimony and demonstrated to the jury that Allen was not with the King woman. He attacked the credibility of the commonwealth's witnesses, calling some of them perjurers and liars, and laid special stress on the reliability of the witnesses from Carnegie, who swore Allen was in that town at 3:55 that day. When he had finished it seemed that there was nothing to the case, and he asked for an acquittal.

Haymaker's Effort.

District Attorney Haymaker, however, had a few cards up his sleeve, and with consumate skill, attempted to tear the defense's testimony to pieces. While building up the commonwealth's case. He consumed nearly two hours. The district attorney laid special stress on the fact that Allen could have committed the crime and gone to Carnegie, where it was possible that the witnesses for the defense saw him two hours later than they thought. He denied that the alibi covered the critical period in the afternoon, as only Harry Craig testified against the 13 who saw Allen from noon to 3:30 p. m. He said the case was one of the strongest ever made, and asked for a verdict of guilty.

Judge Stowe's charge covered all the important points in the case, which went to the jury about 2:30 p.m.

Smiled at Verdict.

Allen was remanded to jail, but brought into the court room at 4:20, when the jury had agreed, after a short discussion of the evidence. Allen was white when he stood on his feet to hear the verdict, but his attorney was confident that it was acquittal. When the foreman read the decision of the 12 Allen smiled and appeared relieved. He was immediately discharged by the court, going direct to his attorney's office, where he met his sister.

Mrs. Paxton was profuse in her compliments of Mr. Marshall to whom she gave all the credit for the verdict. Allen could hardly be induced to talk. He said he was innocent, but labored under a nervous strain throughout the fierce denunciations of the district attorney.

"I can feel thankful that I had Mr. Marshall in this case for things did indeed look dark for me," said Allen. "It is a queer sensation to be placed in such a predicament, and no man can describe it so that another will understand how he feels. I intend to shake the dust of this town from my feet, for it is a bad place to be arrested in. My sister and I will leave for home early tomorrow morning."

Lawyers say this case has never had an equal in the criminal history of the county, and even the police say that the defense performed a wonderful piece of detective work in securing its witnesses, as well as conducting the legal end of the case.

Today's Trial Lists.

The following desertion and surety of the peace cases will be heard this morning: Harry W. Danver, James Draper, Harry House, E. J. Syphan, Angelo M. Santoniss, William Minor, William Trier, Patrick Joyce, William McGraw, Joseph Spitzer et al, Paul Koeicz, Felix Mc-Kune, Michael McGrath et al, Albert Nickolas, Stella McIlwaine.

United States Jurors.

The petit jury for the United States circuit court to begin November 10, was drawn yesterday as follows: James L. Marshall, Charles Garver, H. M. Butler, Henry Reichard, Pittsburgh; J. Campbell, Mogic, Butler county; George W. Dicker, Houtzdale, Paul Jacob, Bedford county; Dennis Sanders, Rodgersville; Eli Coverl, Greene county; James Harper, Beaver; Robert Vanborn, New Castle; John L. McClelland, Canonsburg; A. P. Kelly, Tionesta; E. J. Stormes, Jefferson county; James R. Gray, Uniontown; S. W. Redick, Butler county; Joseph Levy, Somerset county; James Wright, Sharon; John W. Barp, Greene county; Edward Shields, Ebensburg; J. S. Dunlap, Washington county; J. P. Brownlelgh, Washington county; W. G. Scott, Beaver county; Bert Beatty, Westmoreland county; Herbert Phillips, Warren county; A. C. Remaley, Greensburg; Franklin Sanson, Indiana; A. C. Robinson, Punxsutawney; J. S. Snowden, Washington; Thomas Harvey, Crawford county; John W. Reed, Beaver county; C. E. Allen, Clearfield county; Charles A. Lang, Crawford county; Jerry Irwin, Clearfield county; A. J. Otto, Bedford county; Frank Payne, Erie; John H. Wilson, Butler county; S. C. Burns, Bedford county; William Hanna, Monongahela City; R. P. Pomeroy, Lawrence county; D. H. Fee, Canonsburg; W. A. B. Lisell, Cambria county; T. E. Goudle, Clearfield county.

Drawn for week beginning November 17: J. A. Reynolds, Erie; Samuel Barnes, Mercer county; W. A. Urey, Armstrong; W. G. Shestley, Kittanning; William Pickets, Clarion; R. R. Bowman, Pittsburgh; C. P. Baker, Washington; James I. Kaylor, Cambria county; James Dalves, Clearfield county; Alex. Hart, Washington, Pa.; John K. Campbell, Clarion county; Robert Taggert, Warren county; J. H. Hughes, Brookville; R. W. Ward, Meadville; Henry Gross, Beaver county; R. L. Jones, Westmoreland county; J. S. Wilson, Washington county.

Next Week's Trial Lists.

Criminal court, Monday—Commonwealth vs. Ike Harris, for murder; Annie Munze (2), John Graves, Chris Schneider, John McWilliams, Thomas M. Cleland, Harry Reitzell, Dominic Stefanio, Joseph Stefe et al, John McNeil et al, Thomas Barclay, John Rochester, William Gibbons, John J. Chivers, John Jones et al, John Adamiz, Heyman Barnett, Frank Cunningham et al, H. H. Hacke, B. L. E. Bohlen, Frank Dabbs, Paulina Zagrea, Fred Bulbaugh, Nick Manus, Peter Tutulus et al, William Lloyd et al, Louis Arthers, Henry Robinson, Martin Lee (2), Fred Thomas, Arthur Walker, Bud White, John J. Wazlenski, Patrick McCoy, John Lonzoretta, Mary Bout, Joseph Kopas, Schotwick Wesser, Louis Kraus, Joseph Hagiman, Andy Nagy, Henry A. Smith, Nelle Larson.

Tuesday—Henry Jackson, Adam Paul, William Lipnicki, John Huckenstein, Edmond Paul, Thomas H. Lester, William Thompson et al, Frank Wolf et al, Frank Lodi, James Courtney, Henry Trifold, Jacob Walker, Scott Logan, John Kowash.

Wednesday—Fred Thetss, for murder; James Herbert, Joseph Rudolph, Kate Mondark, C. Charles Stevenson, John H. Pinkard, Eugene Willard, Ollie Brown, Charles G. Howard, Charles Lafley et al.

Thursday—Louis Pfeifer, Pasquide Tuffaro, John Krobat, Joseph Brown, Mike Gunlver (2), Heib Gettles et al, Mary Reece, Joseph Filotks, G. Drzeska, Rosa Bergeman, Jacob Staub et al, Henry Cain, Mary Season, John Kroke, Katie Coyne.

Friday—James Brennan, Robert Buchanan, Joseph Benjirska et al, Max Markowitz, John Kroucliewjit.

New Suits Filed.

New suits were entered as follows:

COMMON PLEAS COURT NO. 1.

Plaintiff.	Defendant.	Action.
Ida Hughes	William Hall	Tres.
Morgan B. Hill	P. G. Gabel	Assp.
Lawrence W. Knapp	Ellen Brennen	Sci fa mtge.
W. H. Roech Co.	Philip Ziegler	Repl.
William W. Wishart, exr.	W. S. Simons et al	Tres.
Charles T. Mehaffey et al.	Christopher Stratton	Assp.
Frick & Lindsey Co.	Union Pipe Line Co.	Assp.
Joseph A. Briggs et al.	George L. McCoy	Assp.
William Murtin	Christian Eckard	Ex att.
Joseph A. Briggs et al.	George L. McCoy	Sci fa mtge.
John F. Herman	Fred Waidschmidt	Ap.
Grew & Higgins Lumber Co.	W. F. Hildebrand et al	Sci fa m l.
Margaret Grew	William H. Herron	Sci fa mtge.
Arbuthnot Stephenson Co.	Samuel Andrews	Assp.
Same	William H. Silvington	Assp.
C. L. Flaccus Glass Co.	Frank Vogel Co.	Assp.
Borough of Turtle Creek	Abraham L. Prevaskis ts al	Equity
John M. Tate	Adin L. Sailor	Assp.
Herman L. Long et al.	Thomas Ireland et al	Assp.
F. B. Agnew	Margaret Stephens	Ap.
Charles Fabry	Casper Oelschlajer	Tres.
Susie Fabry	Mary Oelschlajer	Tres.
T. O. Loalie	David J. Van Vranx	Assp.
M. Adler	Mrs. R. Brownrski	Ap.
Second National bank of Akron	W. Gordon Miller	Assp.
William H. Aherin	George W. Sherman	Ap.
Agnes Hayden	George Schmidt	Ap.
Katie Hayden	Same	Ap.
Pennsylvania Door and Sash Co.	W. H. Spangler et al	Equity
Helen L. Shields	James G. D. McAuley	Equity
Mary Kimmel	Thomas Tyman et ux	Ap.
William Weigel et al.	S. O. Rhodes et al	Assp.
Same	McKinley Coel Co.	Assp.
A. W. Colllough	Amos Hawk	Ap.
H. H. Palmer	Herman Anderson	Assp.
Dorothee Shafer	Mary A. Dunbacker	Ap.
Borough of N. Braddock	Allegheny County Telephone Co.	Assp.
Same	Pittsburgh Railways Co.	Assp.
Chatley Bros.	Mrs. A. M. McCullough	Ap.
Third National bank of Pittsburgh	F. Thuma	Assp.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

In the case of Susanah Porter against John Brownstetler for alleged slander, a verdict of 6¼ cents was rendered.

W. E. Terhume & Co. filed a foreign attachment against the Thompson Sterrett Company for an $8,000 lumber bill.

Suit was entered by Ida Hughes against William Hall for $5,000 damages for slander. The plaintiff says that Hall said she associated with white men.

Charles Fabry and wife sued Casper Oelschlager and wife for $10,000 damages. The plaintiffs claim that the defendants were so boisterous about their house that Mrs. Fabry became ill.

Thomas H. Heckman of Plum Creek township, Armstrong county, filed a petition in bankruptcy asking his liabilities at $20,656 and his assets at $55,420. Harry A. Calhoun was appointed the receiver in the case.

Stewart M. Cunningham, representing the borough of Turtle Creek, secured a preliminary injunction restraining William L. and John T. Trevaski from building a stone wall in the channel of Saw Mill run. The matter will be heard on October 6.

An answer was filed in the equity suit of Joseph Plaia against Joseph Plaia & Co., in which the plaintiff alleged that although he is a stockholder he was restrained from active interest in the firm. This is denied. It is also said the plant can be operated at a profit.

A petition was presented in common pleas court No. 2 yesterday for an order dissolving the corporation of Maryland, Neeley & Co. The petition states that the articles of incorporated made in 1874, expired on July 1 of this year and that on June 30 a resolution was passed to wind up the affairs of the company. Edwin Bindley, W. H. Cochran and Thomas Neeley were appointed liquidating trustees. All the indebtedness has been paid and $135,000 remains for distribution among the stockholders.

Special Train Used.

A special train of 14 cars, carrying structural steel to New York, left Homestead yesterday afternoon over the Pennsylvania railroad. The steel was consigned to the Thompson-Sterrett Company, contractors, who are building the new Siegel-Cooper building in New York. The Carnegie Company rushed the order and records were broken in finishing the material. Then it was discovered the needed cars were unavailable. The New York firm telegraphed to get special cars, as the material was needed before next week.

MACHINE PAPERS ARE NOT ON FILE

Case Against Citizens Nominees Seems Likely to Fail Through Legal Blunder.

ARGUMENTS ARE HEARD

Lawyer Ashley Declares He Certainly Handed Objections to Clerk Patrick at Harrisburg. Matter in Pretty Legal Tangle.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 3.—Attempt by the Allegheny county machine to block the fusion movement in that county may fail through the blunders of its attorneys. Discovery was made today that there was not on file in the state department a copy of the objections which have been filed in the Dauphin county court to the certificates of John M. Goehring and William S. Woods, the Citizens-Democratic nominees for senator in the Forty-second and Forty-fourth districts.

The time limit for filing objections to certificates expired Tuesday, and if it can be proven that a copy of these papers were not filed in the state department then the objections fail.

Copies of the objections to the nomination of George Shiras III., H. Kirk Porter and James W. Brown, the Citizens-Democratic candidates for congress in the Allegheny county districts, also cannot be found at the state department, and it is claimed by the attorneys for the fusionists that they, too, were not filed. When their cases were called for argument today Robert Snodgrass of counsel for the fusionists moved that they be dismissed, on the ground that copies had not been filed in the department.

Charles A. O'Brein of Pittsburgh stated to the court that the papers were filed by Mr. Ashley, his law partner, on the same day the objections were filed in court. Election Clerk Patrick of the state department was summoned into court and asked if he had copies of the objections. He replied that he remembered Mr. Ashley having been at the department on Monday, but had no recollection of his filing the papers. He said they may have been handed to him in the rush of business, but if they were he did not now have them.

Mr. O'Brein insisted that the papers had been filed. It was finally agreed by counsel to telegraph Mr. Ashley and ascertain if he filed the papers and that if he had not that the cases should end. Mr. O'Brein was unable to reach his partner, and the cases were argued with the understanding that if Mr. Ashley should state when found that the papers were no filed then the cases should be dismissed.

Unless Ashley is heard from by Monday it is expected the court will decide the congressional cases. The senatorial cases are fixed for hearing next Thursday.

Attorney Ashley, when seen at his home in Swissvale last night, and told of the disappearance of the papers, said: "Well, I do not know what became of them. I left them with Clerk Patrick and suppose they must be some place about his office. I filed them all right, and if they are lost, the responsibility lies in the office there.

IN THE SUBURBS.

—The bursting of a water main at Grant avenue, Millvale, yesterday afternoon, caused considerable inconvenience to those living in the neighborhood, and stopped traffic on the city bound track of the Millvale line for more than an hour. A large force of men was put to work last night to repair the break.

—Ralph Morani, a well-to-do Italian of Brushton, yesterday was fined $5 by Alderman Robinson on a charge made by John McCormick, a negro, whose wife is a white woman. McCormick asserted that the Italian insisted on singing coon songs to humiliate Mrs. McCormick.

—Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson, a wealthy resident of Wilkinsburg, accompanied by her maid, yesterday was arraigned before Burgess Horner on the charge of drunkenness. Last Monday Mrs. Hutchinson was before the burgess for the same offense.

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$7.50, $10 and up to $20

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Boys' "Manly" Suits. The correct styles for boys from 5 to 10 years. Made in the latest golden brown, dark gray and other "grown-up" patterns. Priced from $6.50 down to..... $3.50

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Our hat department has been signally successful this season in introducing to the Pittsburgh men a line of exceptionally stylish and exclusive headwear.

Our "Waldorf."

The derby illustrated here is undoubtedly the most favored hat fashion that it has been the good fortune of our hat department to originate. It has all the requisites of a high grade hat—style, quality and finish, and no wonder it leads the procession at..... $3.00

Our "Country Club."

The soft hat illustrated here is a winner among devotees of this style. It has the character and exclusive design which marks a gentleman's hat and its popularity passes all previous success of our famous hat department. Priced at $1.98 and..... $3.00

Our "Ben-Hur" Derby.

A hat which has seen seven popular seasons and is now passing through the eighth with fresh laurels. Choice of three fashionable shapes and different dimensions at the moderate price of..... $1.98

Fancy Dress Shirts.

Our window display of last week attracted hundreds of men, yet it showed but the first arrivals of our mighty lines. The balance of the choice patterns from the world's leading shirtmakers are placed on show and sale this morning. All these shirts contain the latest improvements and the workmanship cannot be surpassed by the custom maker. Priced most attractively at $2.00, $1.50 and..... $1.00

Fall Weight Underwear.

Men find the cool evenings and mornings expose them to severe colds at this time of the year, and proper weight underwear is the most sensible preventive. We show immense stocks of Egyptian, close ribbed or light weight wool in natural or camel's hair colorings. Splendidly made garments in every particular and matchless qualities at $1.50, $1.00, 75c and..... 50c

PEACH BUYERS CHANGE TODAY

Lowest Prices of Season Are Ruling in Pittsburgh Markets.

HUNDRED CARS ON HAND

Will Probably Be Last Chance to Buy in Quantity—Rains Caused Fruit to Ripen Quickly—Famine Threatens Navy Bean Sales.

For the first time this season the city is ful of peaches and housekeepers who have not yet purchased their supplies for preserving will have their opportunity today at prices such as were not deemed likely to prevail at all this year. Fifty carloads came into Pittsburgh yesterday, and as many more are awaiting delivery today. There are already close to 100 cars in the Pennsylvania railroad produce yards, and an embargo has been placed upon further consignments until those now here are sold.

Peaches now offering are from the state of Michigan, and as shipments from that section arrive principally over the Ft. Wayne road, the refusal of the Pennsylvania officials to receive consignments will practically stop the fruit from coming here. As stocks are now heavy this does not bother dealers so much as does disposing of those now in hand.

Lowest Price of Year.

Yesterday's peaches sold at $1 a bushel, the lowest price of the year for peaches of any grade, and as some of the offerings have been en route several days, kept back by congested freight conditions, these low figures will continue today, and then the season will be practically at an end. This is probably the last chance to purchase in quantity.

The cause of the present surplus in supplies is found in the near approach of the close of the season, growers being anxious to hurry the fruit to market without delay, recent rains having caused it to ripen rapidly, so that it is impossible to hold it longer. While there has not been a heavy production of peaches this year, the season has been long drawn out, and buyers have been pretty thoroughly satisfied, so that the time of plenty arrives when demand is at low ebb. All these causes combine to give such buyers as are still in the market an opportunity to purchase at unexpectedly low prices.

Beans at a Premium.

The same rains which have caused the peach situation to weaken have had a directly opposite effect upon navy beans, and that important article in household economy is soaring skyward. Within the last three days quotations have advanced in the wholesale market 50 cents a bushel, and no one knows whether the end has yet been reached or not.

One jobber said yesterday: "We have simply withdrawn our prices until the market is settled. Rains in Michigan, the great producing state, have caught farmers with their navy beans unharvested and crops are simply going to ruin. Of course, there will be some salvage from the wreck, but how much is as yet an unknown quantity. Growers have already advanced prices 50 cents a bushel and are still running wild, not knowing where to stop. No wholesaler in this city has any great stock on hand and we will simply have to wait until we find out where we stand before we can quote prices with any safety or correctness. Beans will certainly be high this winter, but how high cannot now be stated."

FOUR HURT IN WRECKS.

Collisions in McKeesport and Allegheny Cause Fatal Injury of One Victim.

Michael Dewey, a Hungarian, 35 years old and married, of McKeesport, was fatally injured, and Fred Ditkar, 28 years old, Joseph Thomas, 32 years old, and John Firenza, 38 years old, were severely injured yesterday morning in a collision at McKeesport.

The men were riding to work on a hand car on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad when the car was struck by a shifting engine at Fourth avenue and Sinclair street, McKeesport. The engine crew claim they did not see the car owing to the heavy fog.

Through his failure to see a signal Engineer F. P. McCombs allowed his train, the New Castle accommodation, due in Allegheny at 2:10 on the Ft. Wayne railroad, to crash into a shifting engine on a siding in Woods run yesterday afternoon. Engineer McCombs, who resides at No. 1337 Juniata street, Allegheny, was fatally injured and taken to St. John hospital. James Daugherty, fireman on the passenger train, and Daniel Carlin and John Monigomery, who were on the shifter, escaped injury by jumping.

FRICK BUYS NEW HOME

Land Purchased Near Pride's Crossing, Mass., for Summer Residence—Fine Ocean View.

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—H. C. Frick of Pittsburgh has purchased the handsome property belonging to Mrs. A. O. Tyson at Prides Crossing, Beverly. The estate is situated in Hale street, the principal thoroughfare of this well-known summer resort. It is on a direct line from Prides Crossing station and stands on high land overlooking the ocean and Plum Cove point, giving it one of the finest views of the Atlantic to be found in this section of the north shore.

Included in the purchase are five acres of land, together with a large frame house, which it is the intention of the new owner to raze. He will replace it with one of the finest houses in this part of the state. The purchase price, it is stated, is over $125,000.

AGAINST NEW PLANS.

Turtle Creek Residents Claim the Towns Will Be Ruined by New Dam.

Residents and manufacturers in the Turtle Creek valley are against the plans for the new dam at No. 3 lock which were exhibited in the office of Capt. Sibert, United States engineer, yesterday. According to the plans of Capt. Sibert, the dam is to be located about 200 yards below the present one.

It is claimed that if the new dam, which is to be eight feet higher, is erected below the mouth of Turtle creek it will slackwater the creek and inundate the low land in the valley. At the present time when heavy rains occur and flood the creek, the cellars and streets near the creek in East Pittsburgh, Turtle Creek and Wilmerding are flooded. As a protection against the floods the Westinghouse company is now building walls three-fourths of a mile long on each side of the creek to protect its works.

Excursion to Wheeling Tomorrow.

Train leaves B. & O. R. R. depot 8:10 a. m. Fare $1.50 round trip.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

ASSOCIATION IS IN GOOD CONDITION

Hospital Saturday and Sunday Society Did Best Work in Year Just Closed.

The annual meeting of the Hospital Saturday and Sunday association was held yesterday afternoon in the Free Dispensary building. The meeting was well attended and several interesting addresses were made. The speakers were Bishop Whitehead, Supt. Howell of the West Penn hospital, Prof. Samuel Hamilton, Prof. Edward Rynearson, E. E. Murdoch, W. J. Robinson, Margaret Hare and T. D. Sensor.

Secretary Samuel Harper reported that the receipts during the year far exceeded those of any previous year. The total collections for the year ending October 1 were $8,181.57, of which amount $5,700 had been paid to the hospitals up to June 1, 1902. This breaks all previous records for receipts and expenditures. Each day in the year 275 persons were cared for free of charge at the hospitals.

The officers were re-elected, as follows: President, W. M. McCullough; first vice president, the Rev. T. N. Boyle; second vice president, W. J. Robinson; secretary and general agent, Sampel Harper.

IRISH AROUSED BY GOVERNMENT

IMPRISONMENT OF LEADERS IS THE CAUSE.

Some of Them to Come to Pittsburgh—National Convention in Boston.

Indignation has been stirred deeply among the Irish-born and Irish-descended residents of Western Pennsylvania over the recent actions of the British government in Ireland. The cabled news that more than one-sixth of the Irish representatives in parliament have been committed to jail has added fire to this flame, and preparations are going forward for rendering all assistance possible, both financial and moral, to the Irish home government cause.

This sentiment will find expression at the national convention of the United Irish League of America in Faneuil hall, Boston, "The Cradle of American Liberty," on October 20 and 21. Several delegates have been named by a committee of the central council of the league in Western Pennsylvania. Those named so far are Attorney Edward F. Duffy, P. M. O'Donnell, P. M. Fitzgerald, the Rev. Joseph Toner of St. Lawrence's Roman Catholic church, Manus Gallicher of Glenwood, the Rev. John Price, pastor of St. James' Roman Catholic church; John F. O'Toole of the West End and Capt. P. S. McGowan of East Pittsburgh. About 10 more will be named shortly, making a total representation of about 20 from Western Pennsylvania.

Come from Prisons.

Attorney Duffy announced yesterday that definite assurance has been received that John Dillon and Michael Davitt will visit Pittsburgh late this month or early in November. It is also probable that William O'Brien, proprietor and publisher of the Irish People, one of the papers suppressed by the English government, will accompany Dillon and Davitt to Pittsburgh. Davitt, Dillon and John E. Redmond will sail for America on October 10 to attend the Boston convention, but Redmond will probably have to return immediately after the convention and so will not be able to visit Pittsburgh or other cities.

Several months ago Redmond, P. A. McHugh and Thomas O'Donnell were in this city. All are members of parliament and have since come under the ban of the government. They have each served sentences to hard labor and were compelled to wear prison clothes and spend two hours each day going through the prison exercises with all classes of criminals.

At the coming visit to Pittsburgh, as on the last, the Irish leaders will be accorded an ovation. A public meeting and reception will be held.

Movement Is Strong.

"The plan to secure for Ireland what she has been seeking for four centuries has taken a new lease of life and there is a set determination this time to make it succeed," said Mr. Duffy yesterday. Mr. Duffy returned from Ireland less than two weeks ago and is in close touch with the whole movement. "There will be an abundance of assistance from the United States, as well as from others of the 25,000,000 Irish people throughout the world. If it is necessary to use force, it will be used again, as in previous attempts. It means simply guerilla warfare. The situation has become desperate."

It is said that the English government means to proclaim the United Irish League illegal. This will allow jailing any member, and the membership is very large. The United Irish League of America is an auxiliary of the organization in Ireland and has at its command large resources in the way of money and influence.

LABOR MASS MEETING.

Arrangements For It Have About Been Completed.

Pittsburgh captains of labor have nearly completed their arrangements for a mass meeting tomorrow afternoon at the Avenue theater to arrange for the collection of a fund for the striking anthracite miners. The recorders of both cities will be present or represented.

The mass meeting will be called to order at 2 p. m. by M. M. Garland, surveyor of the port of Pittsburgh and former president of the Amalgamated association. The Rev. S. Edward Young of the Second Presbyterian church will deliver the invocation. William J. Brennen will probably be among the speakers.

The committee met with a gratifying surprise early in its rounds yesterday. Manager Harry Davis volunteered to donate the use of the Avenue theater and accompanied his invitation with a check for $100, which will be the nucleus of the strike fund.

It is not positively known yet whether President Mitchell can be present. The committee has not heard from him since his conference with the president and the coal operators.

A telegram will be sent to Mitchell today urging his attendance. If this fails, Secretary-Treasurer W. B. Wilson or some other general official will be delegated.

TWO PERSONS KILLED.

Elevator Drops Four Stories and Heavy Weight Falls Upon It.

LYNN, MASS., Oct. 3.—In an elevator accident at the shoe factory of A. E. Little & Co., early today, two persons were killed and 11 injured. The car, which contained 13 persons, fell four stories. A 400-pound weight descended with great force on the top of the car, breaking through and crushing to death Benj. O. Crane, a foreman, causing injuries to Miss Frances Herlihy, an assistant forewoman, from which she died within a short time.

Celebrating New Years.

The congregation of the Tree of Life synagogue yesterday morning celebrated the entrance of the year 5663 in the Jewish calendar. The Rev. Michael Fried, rabbi of the synagogue, delivered a sermon on "True Repentance." The day of atonement will be observed on next Friday from 6:15 p. m. until 4:30 p. m. of the following day. On Saturday the subject of the address will be "Charity."

SOCIETY

THE Pittsburgh chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, yesterday held its first meeting since June. The assembly room of the Twentieth Century club was crowded and plans were discussed for work to be taken up during the year. The regent, Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon, was authorized to appoint a committee to plan each of the several lines suggested, the committees to report at the meeting on December 5, when some one plan will be adopted. Among the plans discussed were the erection of a suitable monument on the banks of the Allegheny river, opposite Wainwrights Island, the point where Washington landed on his return from the French fort at Le Boeuf; the erection of a memorial to the revolutionary soldiers who lived and died in Pittsburgh, and the purchase of a monument of Washington. By this last plan the chapter does not confine itself to the consideration of the famous replica of Houdon's statue of Washington, which was brought before it several months ago by Miss Killikelly, but may give a commission to some modern sculptor for such a statue. These plans are merely suggested and each committee, after carefully considering a method by which its object might be secured will present it for approval to the chapter, the chapter reserving the right to take up that one which appeals most strongly to it.

The Pittsburgh chapter will present, at the state conference next week in Bellefonte, a resolution adopted yesterday suggesting that the Daughters of the American Revolution in this state combine in a gift to the new cruiser Pennsylvania. The Pittsburgh chapter has already set aside a sum for this purpose, and should the resolution not be accepted at the state meeting will make a gift from the chapter, the form to be decided later.

The Pittsburgh chapter will also assist in placing a bronze tablet upon the monument of Dr. Nathaniel Bedford in Trinity churchyard, an appropriation having been made yesterday afternoon. Dr. Bedford, though not a revolutionary soldier, was a man of strong personality and influence in the early history of Pittsburgh. His grave and monument were removed from the South Side a short time ago because of the encroachments of the Pennsylvania railroad, and placed in Trinity churchyard. The inscription upon the monument, which was sandstone, was obliterated. The stone has been recut and the inscription will be placed upon it in the form of a bronze tablet. Dr. Bedford was one of the first trustees of Trinity church.

The state conference in Bellefonte will be attended by a number of Pittsburgh women, Mrs. James R. Mellon and Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon appearing on the program. It is a general conference and no delegates are sent, as every member of each chapter within the state has a voice in the state conference, which is an informal body. At the meeting of the Pittsburgh chapter yesterday two new members were announced, Miss Margaret McConway and Dr. Rachel Robbins.

Wedding Cards to Be Issued.

Invitations will be issued today or Monday by Mrs. Alfred Guffey of Wilkinsburg, for the wedding of her daughter, Miss Alva Jean Guffey, and Graham Chalfant, son of the late Henry Chalfant. The wedding will take place at Mrs. Guffey's home in South avenue, Wilkinsburg, on October 23, and will be a large evening affair. The bride will be given away by her uncle, James M. Guffey, and her only attendant will be her cousin, Mrs. Jackson, who will be matron of honor. Dr. Sidney Chalfant, a brother of the bridegroom, will be the best man. The marriage ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Thomas Parry, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Wilkinsburg.

The wedding of Miss Alva Guffey will take place but a few days before the wedding of her cousin, Miss Emma Guffey, of Liberty avenue, the daughter of Mrs. John Guffey.

Pryor—Miller.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 3.—A notable event in society circles in this city was the marriage of Miss Edith Pryor and Mr. William Curl Miller, which was solemnized tonight at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pryor of Highland avenue. The Rev. Dr. H. S. Jordon officiated, the ceremony taking place in the presence of 100 guests. The bride is the only daughter of George Pryor, formerly editor and proprietor of the Courant-Guardian of this city, and now secretary and general manager of the Barberton Pottery Company of Akron, O. The groom is a member of the official force of the American Tin Plate Company in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will enjoy a month's visit to eastern points, and will be at home to their friends here after Thanksgiving.

Young People's Rally.

The Young People's Christian union will have a service on Sunday evening in the Eighth United Presbyterian church, Allegheny. W. B. Monks, president of the union, will have charge of the program. Among the addresses to be delivered are "The Advantages of Pledging Oneself to Service," by Henry W. Jones, corresponding secretary; "Opportunities for Work in the Christian Union," Miss Gertrude Park; "The Christian Union as a Missionary Agency," S. Norman McCain; "The Profit of the Weekly Prayer Meeting," Miss Kate R. George, and "Things Our Christian Union Needs," Will Rotzler. There will be music by Mrs. Helen Wickersham, Miss Minnie Jones, W. I. Wishart and a choir.

McCammon—Smith.

WASHINGTON, PA., Oct. 3.—(Special.)—Miss Elizabeth McCammon, daughter of John McCammon of West Finley, and W. H. Smith of Elgin, Ill., were married last night at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. P. Fisher of the Presbyterian church of West Alexander, in the presence of a large number of guests. The bride is a popular young woman and has been a school teacher for a number of years, and the groom is a young business man of Elgin.

Knapp—Bryan.

Miss Anna V. Knapp of Roup street, East End, and John Bryan of McKees Rocks, were married quietly on Thursday, September 25, at the parsonage of the Friendship Methodist Episcopal church, Mathilda street and Liberty avenue, the pastor, the Rev. R. L. McKee, performing the marriage ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan are now at home in McKees Rocks.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. John Evans of Woodmont place, Squirrel Hill, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Louise Evans, and Percy F. Yarnall of the East End. The wedding of the young people will take place the latter part of the month.

Tenth Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. McKee of Braddock avenue, East End, will celebrate the tenth anniversary of their marriage today. The day will be observed at their home.

Notes of Society.

Miss Bertha Wallace McCracken will reopen her studio, No. 5512 Home street, October 15.

The Maccabees, Manchester tent, 383, will hold a progressive euchre at Odd Fellows' hall, Juniata street and Beaver avenue, Allegheny, on Monday evening, October 13.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Press club will be held on Monday afternoon, October 6, at 3 o'clock. It will be preceded at 2 o'clock by a meeting of the board of directors.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

John J. Morgan	Pittsburgh
Nellie F. Jordan	Pittsburgh
Max Roth	Pittsburgh
Elizabeth Schohn	Pittsburgh
Otto Krauss	Pittsburgh
Mary Schaefer	Pittsburgh
Andrew Penman	Beuna Vista
Mary J. Holland	Industry
Josef Fritz	East Pittsburgh
Erenstiene Meisch	East Pittsburgh
Gilbert M. Cowfer	Harrisburg
Minnie E. Pagans	Allegheny
Max G. Schmidbauer	Pittsburgh
Mary J. Gabrielson	Pittsburgh
Josef Harawich	Allegheny
Tomi Rizner	Allegheny
Andrew Hedberg	Duquesne
Annie Svensson	Duquesne
Andrew Acshi	Homestead
Elizabeth Komar	Homestead
Jeff Chatman	Pittsburgh
Nettie Grigesby	Pittsburgh
Erwin H. Stauter	Pittsburgh
Elsie McDonald	Pittsburgh

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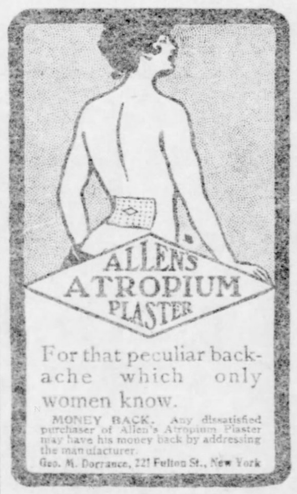

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Opposite P. R. R. Station, Wilkinsburg.

FOR SALE—
Frame house 6 rooms and bath; street paved and sewered, lot 24x100; price $3,000—$500 to $1,000 cash, balance to suit purchaser.
R. S. McDOWELL & CO.,
'Phone 214-1. Opposite P. R. R. Station, Wilkinsburg.

BARGAIN IN CHOICE PROPERTY.
In a very desirable suburban locality, fine center hall brick house, with large lot; also building lots; will be offered for a short time at very close prices; owner compelled to leave.
HENRY W. ARMSTRONG,
56 Federal st., Allegheny.

SHERADEN HOMES.
New, 7 to 10 rooms each, with every convenience, large lot, good street; nothing anywhere like them for the price; $2,000 to $3,500, easy payments.
IRON CITY REALTY CO., 304 Times Bldg.

FOR SALE.

Horses and Vehicles.

WORK HORSES FOR SALE.

Consolidated Ice Company offers for sale 30 work horses cheap, for want of use.

Apply to any of our stables.

CONSOLIDATED ICE CO.

Our Prices are Low.
Winter Robes and Blankets.
Wagons and Carriages—All Styles;
Delivery and Pleasure Harness.
GERBER CARRIAGE CO., 19-27 Fifth st.

Sewing Machines.

BIG bargain in shopworn and good second-hand sewing machines; all makes. NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE CO., 131 Sixth st., Pittsburgh, next to Bijou theater.

Pianos.

PIANO—Expensive famous upright, cover, stool; family sells cheap. Box 203, Allegheny.

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Coffee urn, steel range, portable oven, cake griddle, etc., at cost, to clear out; second-hand bath tub, closet, copper boiler. Weldon & Kelly Co., 305 Wood st.

FOR SALE—One genuine diamond stud, ¾ carat, absolutely pure white; cost $90, will sell for $50. Call at once. Market Street Loan Office, 214 Market st., Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE—Anthracite coal; about 1½ tons in cellar at dwelling on park, Allegheny. Make offer. Address V 6, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—Fine dining room and hall furniture; leaving the city. 1238 Sheffield st., Allegheny.

LEVY'S book store sells books. 829 Liberty st.

DIVIDENDS.

Rock Fir Fuel Gas Company,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 29, 1902.
DIVIDEND—A quarterly dividend of ONE AND THREE-QUARTERS (1¾) PER CENT, has been declared upon the preferred capital stock of this company, payable October 1, 1902, to stockholders of record at the close of business September 30, 1902. The transfer books will be closed from September 30, 1902, to October 10, 1902, both days inclusive. Checks will be mailed to stockholders on October 25, 1902.
J. RERRIGAN, Secretary.

Standard Underground Cable Co.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 29, 1902.
DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this company have this day declared a quarterly dividend of two (2) per cent on the capital stock, payable October 15, 1902. The transfer books will be closed from October 4 to 10, both days inclusive. Checks will be mailed by the treasurer to all stockholders of record October 4, 1902.
F. A. RIBERART, Secretary.

Office of the Allegheny Trust Co.,
No. 435 Fifth ave.
DIVIDEND—The board of directors of the Allegheny Trust Company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE-HALF (1½) PER CENT, payable at the office of the company to stockholders of record September 20. Transfer books closed from September 20 to October 1, both days inclusive.
CHARLES SCHNEIDER, Secretary.

Monongahela National Bank,
Fifth ave. and Wood st.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 30, 1902.
QUARTERLY DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have this day declared a dividend of TWO per cent on the capital stock out of the earnings of the bank, payable on demand. Checks will be mailed to stockholders.
JOHN D. FRASER, Cashier.

The Safe Deposit & Trust Company of Pittsburgh,
Pittsburgh, Pa., October 1 1902.
DIVIDEND—The directors of this company have declared a regular dividend of ONE AND ONE-HALF (1½) PER CENT, and an extra dividend of ONE-HALF (½) PER CENT, on the capital stock of the company, payable forthwith, free of tax. Checks will be mailed.
W. T. HOWE, Secretary and Treasurer.

Office of Harbison-Walker Refractories Company,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 3, 1902.
DIVIDEND—Directors have this day declared the quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE-HALF (1½) PER CENT, on the preferred stock, payable October 20, to stockholders of record October 10. Checks will be mailed.
HAMILTON STEWART,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Union National Bank,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 30, 1902.
QUARTERLY DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this bank has this day declared a dividend of SEVEN AND ONE-HALF (7½) PER CENT on the capital stock, out of the earnings of the last three months, payable forthwith, free of tax. Checks will be mailed to stockholders.
C. E. DEAN, Cashier.

The Peoples National Bank,
United States Depository,
Pittsburgh, Sept. 30, 1902.
DIVIDEND NO. 87—The directors today declared a quarterly dividend of THREE (3) per cent, payable forthwith. Checks will be mailed to stockholders.
ROBERT WARDROP, Vice President and Cashier.

The German National Bank of Allegheny,
Allegheny, Pa., Sept. 30, 1902.
DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this bank have this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of FOUR (4) per cent out of the earnings of the past three months, payable to its stockholders on demand.
ALBERT HELM, Cashier.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 30, 1902.
German Savings and Deposit Bank, Carson and South Fourteenth Streets.
QUARTERLY DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have this day declared a dividend of FIVE (5) PER CENT out of the earnings of the last three months, payable forthwith free of tax.
C. F. ERNY, Cashier.

First National Bank of Birmingham,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 30, 1902.
QUARTERLY DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have this day declared a dividend of FOUR (4) per cent out of the profits of the last three months, payable forthwith, free of tax. Checks will be mailed.
DANIEL BEECH, Cashier.

Office of Allegheny Heating Company,
Allegheny, Pa., Oct. 2, 1902.
DIVIDEND—The directors this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of THREE (3) PER CENT, payable November 1, 1902, to stockholders of record October 15, 1902. Checks will be mailed.
C. J. BRAUN, JR., Treasurer.

Western Savings & Deposit Bank,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 30, 1902.
DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have this day declared a dividend of THREE AND ONE-HALF (3½) PER CENT out of the earnings of the past three months, payable October 4, 1902. Checks will be mailed.
CHARLES SCHMERTZ, Cashier.

Duquesne National Bank,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 30, 1902.
DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this bank have this day declared a dividend of TWO AND ONE-HALF (2½) PER CENT, free of tax. Checks mailed to shareholders.
A. H. PATTERSON, Cashier.

DANCING ACADEMIES.

BRAUN'S SCHOOL OF DANCING,
200 S. Highland ave.
Bell 'Phone 5065 East.
Is open for engagements for my whole time and attention to the East End school. I have disposed of the school at corner of Sixth and Liberty, and have no connection with any other school.
Members of British Association of Teachers of Dancing.
Members of Scottish Association of Teachers of Dancing.
First vice president Normal School Association Masters of Dancing, U. S. and Canada.
W. J. BRAUN, PRINCIPAL.

BRAUN'S DANCING ACADEMY.
Ten Lessons Three Dollars.
Sixth and Liberty St.
Austin McFadden Sole Owner.
Ten Lessons Three Dollars.
Bell Phone, 1551 Court. Sixth and Liberty Sts.

PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the borough clerk, Wilkinsburg, Pa., until 4 p. m., Monday, October 13, 1902, for the construction of a fire proof vault and alterations to the Wilkinsburg municipal building. Plans and specifications can be obtained at the office of Milligan & Miller, architects, Milligan & Miller building, Wilkinsburg station, Pittsburgh, Pa. Each proposal to be accompanied by a certified check of 6 per cent of the amount of bid, made payable to Watson D. Jones, check to be forfeited to the borough of Wilkinsburg in case the bidder receiving award shall fail to enter into contract within five days after the acceptance of bid. All proposals to be addressed to W. D. Jones, Municipal building, Wilkinsburg, Pa. By order of Wilkinsburg council.

FOUND.

FOUND—Upholstering, repairing, refinishing of furniture by the Guarantee Upholstering Company, 1822 Beaver ave.; both 'phones; estimates furnished.

FOUND—Reliable watch repairing. Cash paid for old gold, Christ. Hauch, 541 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE.

Horses and Vehicles.

WORK HORSES FOR SALE.

Consolidated Ice Company offers for sale 30 work horses cheap, for want of use.

Apply to any of our stables.

CONSOLIDATED ICE CO.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE.

The Pittsburgh Establishment of
Miss R. Bannon
at No. 524 Penn ave., next door to Duquesne Theater (take elevator), for sale at Auction Saturday, October 4, 10 a. m. Owing to Miss Bannon's removal to New York, her entire business will be sold, embracing a large stock of Silks, Laces, Model Gowns, Dress Goods, Trimmings, etc. Sale positive.
HENRY AUCTION CO.,
Auctioneers.

THE PITTSBURGH AUCTION CO., LTD., 618-620-622 Wylie ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.; auction sales Mondays and Thursdays of each week at 10 a. m. consignments solicited; buy and sell everything second-hand; call and see us.

LEGAL NOTICES.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, Allegheny County, S. C. T. (Seal.) In the orphans' court in and for said county, in the matter of the estate of Jacob Vlasack, sometimes called George Vlasack, deceased. No. ——, September term, 1902. On the petition of Leopold Kraus et al. presented praying the court to award an inquest to make partition of the real estate of said Jacob Vlasack, sometimes called George Vlasack, deceased, to and among the parties entitled. Our said court granted a citation returnable Saturday, the 25th day of October, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. Now, to wit, Oct. 1, 1902, on motion of Joseph Leopold Schumacher, and the parties in interest, that you be and appear before the judges of our said court on or before Saturday, the 25th day of October, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., and there show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of petitioners should not be granted. Herein fail not. Witness, Hon. William G. Hawkins, Jr., judge of our said orphans' court, at Pittsburgh, this 26th day of September, A. D. 1902.
Fred W. Edwards, Clerk of Orphans Court.
TO Joseph Leopold Schumacher. You are hereby notified that the above citation has been issued commanding you and the other parties in interest to be and appear before the judge of said court on Saturday, October 25, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., and show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of petitioners should not be granted. Attest: Fred W. Edwards, Clerk. Edgar Thomson, attorneys for Leopold Kraus et al, petitioners.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on November 8, 1902, by John S. Scully, James W. Lee, Jr., Wm. Whitsell, Jr., Price Paul and Albert L. Brahm, under the act of assembly approved May 13, 1876, and entitled, "An act for the incorporation and regulation of banks of discount and deposit," and the supplements and amendments thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the Diamond Savings bank of Pittsburgh, Pa. The location of place where the business of the said corporation shall be conducted is in the city of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania; the amount of its capital stock shall be one hundred thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each; the specific object for which the said corporation shall be created is that it may be able to conduct the business of banking and enjoy all the privileges and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said act of assembly and its supplements and amendments. Lee & Mackey, solicitors for the applicants.

GEORGE L. SUTTER, Attorney-at-Law, No. 403 Grant st. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 24th day of October, 1902, by James H. MacKall, George L. Sutter and Fred T. Loeffler, under the act of assembly entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the "Loeffler Contracting Company," the character and object of which is the general contracting business of building, erection, construction and equipment of all kinds of buildings, erections and structures, steam, motor, electric and transportation lines, and generally all kinds of work, of, at Pittsburgh, Pa., and for these purposes to have and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and the supplements hereto. George L. Sutter, solicitor for applicants.

JOHN N. DUNN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 123 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss. The undersigned, being duly sworn, says that the notice of petition filed in the above case and court of common pleas No. 2, of December term, 1901, Thalia E. Hall, by her next friend, vs. Carlton S. Hall. And now to-wit, Saturday, September 13, 1902, on motion the court appoint A. Boyd Marshall, Esq., commissioner, to take testimony in the above case and report the same to court. By the court. From the record. A. J. McQuitty, prothonotary. To Carlton S. Hall, respondent: You are hereby notified that I have been appointed commissioner to take testimony in the above case and report same to court, at my office in the Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Wednesday, October 22, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., and where you may attend if you see proper. A. S. Moorhead, commissioner.

In the matter of Lewis Brown, bankrupt. In the district court of the United States, for the Western district of Pennsylvania, in bankruptcy. No. 1862. To the creditors of Lewis Brown, of McKeesport, in the county of Allegheny, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 22d day of July, A. D. 1902, the said Lewis Brown was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at room No. 24, in the St. Nicholas building, No. 450 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, exam

SHARP BREAK IN STOCKS, FOLLOWED BY A RECOVERY

Money and the Coal Strike Conference Paramount Factors---Local Trust Company Shares Still Further Advance.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The highly sensitive condition of the eastern stock market was demonstrated late yesterday afternoon. The speculation had been very quiet, the sales to noon reaching only 281,000 shares. After the market had absorbed London's offerings, amounting to about 20,000 shares, the tone became firmer, and between 1 and 2 p. m. the highest prices of the day were current. A Wall street news bureau sent out a bulletin about 2 p. m., purporting to be a dispatch from Washington, in which it was stated that Comptroller of the Currency Ridgley had overruled the decision of Secretary Shaw relieving the national banks from maintaining a 25 per cent reserve against government deposits. It will be recalled that it was the action of the secretary which caused the drop in call money rates from 35 per cent on Monday to an average of 8 to 10 per cent the past two days, as the effect was to instantly release something over $30,000,000 to the market. The announcement that the comptroller would insist upon the letter of the law caused an instant change in the temper of speculation. Prices dropped from 2 to 5 per cent in quick order. St. Paul broke from 196 to 190¾, Union Pacific from 109¾ to 102¾, Pennsylvania from 145¾ to 142¾, Louisville & Nashville from 146¼ to 139¾, Reading from 73½ to 69¾, and so on throughout the list. A semi-official denial of the report was followed by a violent rebound, the recoveries extending from 2 to 4 per cent, but the market did not close at the best and the temper was feverish. During the morning hours, as stated, the trading was light, everyone waiting for news from the Washington conference on the coal strike. The first session of the conferees lasted but a few minutes, and the market closed without additional information on the subject. The total sales were 850,000 shares, an increase of 325,000 shares over the preceding day.

A local authority on banking law states that the reported position of Comptroller Ridgley is right, according to the statutes, while the position of Secretary Shaw is right, according to common-sense. When the law was enacted requiring that national banks in the leading cities should maintain a reserve of 25 per cent of net deposits the government was not troubled with an overflowing treasury, and had no surplus funds other than disbursing officers' balances to deposit in bank. Now the government is withdrawing from circulation currency needed to handle business, and has something like $175,000,000 deposited in national banks. Against these deposits it holds an equal amount of its own bonds as security. It is not only in a different position from the ordinary depositor in the matter of holding security, but it is different from the ordinary depositor in the matter of checking upon its account. The object of the reserve fund is to protect the unsecured general depositor, and there is no necessity for the protection of the government, which is already secured. The precedent established of accepting other than government bonds as security for government deposits, however, is open to honest criticism. In the present instance only such municipal bonds specified as sound investments for savings banks by legislative enactment will be accepted, but in the absence of statutory law on the subject, this precedent, were it to become established by custom, might lead to dangerous consequences through ignorance or political pressure.

The money market was not affected by the leading incident of the day. The rate at the opening was 7 per cent, a large amount of business was at 8 per cent, but when the Ridgley denial was received the rate declined to 6 per cent, and the final loan was at 5 per cent. The net result of the operations between the banks and the subtreasury during the week was a loss to the latter of $927,000. It is expected, however, that today's bank statement will show a large decrease in loans, as a consequence of stock market liquidation during the week, and that a further addition will be made to surplus reserves.

In Pittsburgh the market was again largely dominated by the bank and trust company stocks, so far as changes in value were concerned. The largest net gain was made by Fidelity Title and Trust, which opened $40 higher than the previous close, and in two subsequent transactions jumped to $690, an advance of $80 a share for the day, and the highest price ever quoted. It closed at $670 bid, $700 asked. Colonial Trust opened $15 higher at $625, and on total sales of 280 shares reached $680. There was a quick reaction to $655, leaving a net gain for the day of $55 a share, the closing quotations being $650 bid, $670 asked. Pittsburgh Trust sold unchanged at $900, but it established a new record by closing at $902 bid, $903 asked. Commonwealth Trust advanced 2 points to $254, and Safe Deposit was ½ higher at 308. Fluctuations in Real Estate Trust were narrower, the stock advancing to $315, declining to $313¾, and rallying to $313¾. Pennsylvania Trust sold at $265, a decline of 3¼ from the last previous sale. Keystone bank sold unchanged at $357½. There were no transactions in Union Trust, but the bid price advanced to $2,150, a gain of $60 over the best previous bid, and $150 over the price at which the new stock will be alloted to subscribers. American Trust was firmer at 123 bid.

There was some irregularity in the industrial list, but the dealings were light and the net changes insignificant. Pittsburgh Coal opened firmer at 30½, but sold off to 30¾ and closed unchanged. The preferred was a little firmer, while River Coal common sold below 12 for the first time in weeks and closed at the bottom. During the afternoon a good demand developed for National Fire Proofing, the common stock selling at 36¾ and closing at 39, and the preferred advancing to 40. Window Glass was unchanged at 26. Westinghouse Electric first preferred sold unchanged at 110, while the second preferred declined to 109 and closed at 109¾, a net loss of ½. Air Brake was firmer, selling at 183. The Brewing stocks were dull but fractionally higher. A slight weakness occurred in the final dealings, manifested more in the tone than in the change in values, which was due to the decline in the east at that time. The only stock to be particularly affected was United States Steel, which declined to 40, and did not recover with the eastern market. Crucible Steel was dull and nominally unchanged. On the whole the market was lacking in interest, save for the rise in the trust company shares. The total sales were 4,697 shares stock and $3,000 bonds.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday aggregated 4,697 shares of stock and $3,000 bonds. Sales:

10 to 10:30 A. M.

50	Real E. Tr.	314½	
25	Do	314½	
10	Do	315	
5	Do	315	
15	Do	315	
10	Do	315	
10	Do	315	
20	Pgh. Coal	30½	
100	Do	30½	

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

50	Pgh. Coal	30½	
50	Do	30½	
100	Do	30¾	
50	Do	30½	
100	Do	30¾	
50	Do	30¾	
10	Cons'n. Tr.	22½	
5	Do	250	
10	Real E. Tr.	315	
50	Do	315	
20	Do	314	
10	Do	313¾	
10	Do	314	
100	River Coal	12	
100	Fire Proof	39	
2	Do	30	

12:30 P. M. to 2 P. M.

25	Penna. Tr.	255	
10	Cons'n. Tr.	22½	
10	Pgh. Trust	900	
60	Elect. Ist	110	
60	Elect. 2nd	100	
100	F. T. & Tr.	650	
10	Do	650	
10	Do	675	
10	Do	650	
5	Col. Trust	650	

2 to 3 P. M.

10	Col. Trust	670	
40	Do	670	
45	Do	670	
5	Do	670	
10	Do	670	
20	Do	680	
20	Do	680	
5	Do	680	
10	Do	680	
10	Do	670	
10	Do	665	
10	Cru. St'l pf	85½	
10	Pgh Co'l pf	91½	
40	Do	91¾	
20	Cru. Steel	25	
100	Do	222½	
100	Elec. 2ds	100½	
50	River Coal	11¾	
50	Do	11¾	
10	Do	11¾	
10	Do	11¾	
21	Pgh. Brew pf	48½	

5	Real E. Tr.	313½	
25	Pgh. Coal	30½	
20	Do	30¼	
25	Fire Proof	39¼	
100	Do	39	
100	Do	39	
100	U. S. Steel	40¾	
100	Do	40¼	
100	Do	40¾	
10	Com'w'th	254	
20	U. S. S. pf	90	
50	Do	89½	
250	Crucible	68	
50	Riv Coal pf	49½	
20	Keystone	357½	
2000	Pgh. Brew	21¾	
100	Do	21¾	
100	Do	21¾	
25	Airbrake	183	
	BONDS.		
$3,000	P. Brew. 6s	112¾	

Summary.

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last.	Change.
200	Am. W. Gl.	61	61	61	0
5	Do pfd	91	91	91	+½
290	Colonial Tr.	680	623	665	+55
30	Com. Trust	254	250	254	+2
220	Cru. Steel	22¾	20¾	22¼	+¾
156	Do pfd	86	85¾	85¾	0
135	F. T. & T.	690	650	690	+80
34	Keystone Bk.	387½	387½	387½	0
110	M. R. Coal	12	11¾	11¾	−¼
50	Do pfd	40½	40½	40½	−½
652	N. F. Proof	39¾	39	39	−¾
361	Do pfd	40	39¾	40	−¾
25	Penna. Trust	265	260	265	−5½
30	Phila.	40¾	40½	40½	+½
100	Do pfd	49¾	49½	49½	0
200	Pgh. Brew	31¾	31¾	31¾	+¼
21	Do pfd	48¼	48¼	48¼	+¼
545	Pgh. Coal	30½	30¼	30¼	0
170	Pgh. Trust	900	900	900	0
10	P. S. Car pf	93½	93½	93½	+1½
270	R. E. Trust	315	313¾	313¾	−1¾
10	1st Pgh.	308	308	308	−2
420	U. S. Steel	40¾	40	40	−¾
195	Do pfd	90¾	89¾	90	−¾
25	West. Adm.	183	183	183	+¾
60	West. El.	110	110	110	−¼
109	Do 2ds	109¼	109	109¼	−¼
4,697					
	BONDS.				
$3,000	P. Brew. 6s	112¾	112¾	112¾	−¼

*High record.

Closing Bids and Offers.

Closing bids and offers were:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ex. Seat	117	500	Bridge.		
STOCKS.			Supp. 6th st.	....	35
Pgh. Bks.			Railroads.		
Ally. Nat.	140	....	A. V. pfd.	....	53½
Bk. of Pgh.	....	208	P. & L. E.	....	300
Exchange	96	99	Electric.		
Farmers'	....	160	Westing. 1st		111
First Nat.	....	700	Do 2ds	108¾	109¼
Fourth Nat.	155	165	Miscel.		
Fifth Ave.	70	....	A. W. Glass	61	61¼
Gerrm'n Nat.	....	116	Do pfd	91	91
M. & M.	....	148	Con. Gas pfd	45	....
Second Nat.	880	900	Cruc. Steel	22	22¾
State Bank	75	....	Do pfd	85¾	87¼
W. E. Bank	130	140	M. R. Coal	11¾	12¼
W. S. & D.	114	115	Do pfd	40¾	40½
Fed. N. B.	185	....	Marsden	5¾	6¾
Trust Cos.			P. B. & L. E.	34½	35½

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Union Fruit advanced $90 a share to $2,150 bid.

Fidelity Title and Trust sold at $690, an advance of $89 a share.

Colonial Trust sold at $680 and closed at $665, a net gain of $55 a share.

Industrial stocks dull, but steady to firm.

Sales for the day, 4,697 shares stock and $3,000 bonds.

Bank exchanges increased more than $1,200,000.

IN WALL STREET.

Total sales for the day, 872,300 shares.

Sub-treasury ships $400,000 to New Orleans and $200,000 to Chicago.

Western pools resume their activity in the market.

Report that Comptroller Ridgeway overruled Secretary Shaw on reserve matter causes flurry until it is denied.

Sales of bonds reach par value of $4,965,000.

St. Paul makes gain on big bull operations, with sales of 73,300 shares.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
F. T. & T.	670	700	Pgh. Brew.	31¾	33½
Pa. Trust	290	900	Do pfd.	47¾	48½
Pgh. Trust	902	903	Pgh. Coal	30¾	30¾
R. E. & T.	....	310	Do pfd.	91¾	91¾
Union Tr.	2150	2300	P. S. & R.	6	10
Equitable	172	190	Do pfd.	20	25
R. Estate	312½	314	Phila. Co.	49¾	....
American	124	....	Do pfd.	90	....
Guarantee	140	....	P. S. Car pfd.	95	....
Com'th.	252	254	U. S. & S.	....	36
Ally. Sks.			Do pfd.	....	108
Fid. T. & T.	650	....	U. S. Glass.	34	....
Enterprise	116	....	Do pfd.	140	....
Second Nat.	375	400	W. Airbrake	181½	183
Ally. Trust	155	158	N. F. Proof.	29¾	30
Insurance.	260	....	Do pfd.	40	40½
Allemania	60	65	U. S. Steel.	40	40½
German	70	80	Do pfd.	90	90¼
Nat. Gas.			BONDS.		
Port. Pitt.	67½	....	City Rys.		
N. G. W. Va.	118	....	P. McK. & C.	....	99
P. N. G. & P.	24¾	....	Miscel.		
M., L. & H.	87	88	P. B. & L. E. 5s	....	120
Heming.	....	14½	P. Brew. 6s	112¾	112¾
Luster	....	....			

NOTES AND COMMENT.

Sewickley Trust was quoted at 180 bid.

Lawrence & Co. were buyers of Keystone bank from Barbour and Hill & Co.

The gross earnings of 52 roads for the third week in September increased 14.16 per cent.

McFarlane was a seller of 2,000 shares Trade Dollar Mining at 1.95 to Derr, Luke & Moore.

Pressed Steel Car preferred closed here at 95 bid, the highest price ever quoted. It reached 96½ in New York.

The comptroller of the currency has extended until October 3, 1922, the corporate existence of the First National bank of Braddock.

The Pittsburgh Plat Glass Company this week advanced prices 10 per cent. There were no quotations on the stock yesterday.

The stock of the Commonwealth and Real Estate Trust Company was yesterday listed on the Pittsburgh stock exchange and the market price advanced $2 a share.

The net earnings of Louisville & Nashville for August increased $85,916. Norfolk & Western for the same month increased $91,445 net. There is generally talk that the common stock of the latter will be placed upon a 3 per cent dividend basis.

Marsden distinguished itself by advancing to 5¾ bid, the highest price for a long time. The rise was based upon talk to the effect that the profits from International Smokeless Powder, as underlying company, would be sufficient to pay a dividend on Marsden preferred.

The comptroller of the currency has approved the following election of reserve agents: The Freedom National bank of Harmony, Pa., the First National bank of Hawley, Pa., the Consolidated National bank of New York for the Standing Stone National bank of Huntingdon, Pa.

Early in the day a wager was made on 'change that Colonial Trust would reach $700 a share this week. When the price jumped to 690 it looked as though the wager would be settled before the day was over, but later in the session, when the tumble occurred in New York stocks, the cause of which was at the moment unknown, speculative holders of Colonial tried to take profits, the effect being a decline to 665, with a closing bid of 660.

The current high prices for local trust company shares are evidently having a powerful influence upon the strong boxes of some investors. A hundred-share lot of Fidelity Title and Trust sold at $650, Carothers & Co. to Campbell, and 100 shares Pittsburgh Trust at $900, Robinson Bros. to Masten & Co. and Sproul & Co. Those two transactions alone represented a cash money value of $165,000.

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. reg. 2s	106½	L. & N. uni. 4s	101
Do 2s, reg	106½	Mex. Central 4s	82
Do 3s, reg	107¾	Do 1st inc	29¼
Do 3s, coup	108	Mo. K. & T. 4s	104
Do new 4s, reg	136¾	Mo. P. & T. 4s	95
Do 4s, coup	136¾	Do 2ds	83½
Do old 4s, reg	110¾	N. Y. C. 1st	101¼
Do old 4s, coup	110¾	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s	101
Do 5s, reg	110	*N. O. & T. P. 6s	108
Do 5s, coup	105¾	Nor. Pacific 4s	103¾
Atchison gen. 4s	101¾	Do 3s	74
Do adj. 4s	88	N. & W. con. 4s	101
Balt. & Ohio 4s	101¾	Reading gen. 4s	98
Do 3½s	94	S. L. & I. M. con. 5s	114½
*Do conv. 4s	111	S. L. & S. F. 4s	101¾
Canadian Pac. 4s	107¾	St. L. S. W. 1st 4s	99
Cent. of Ga. 5s	109	Do 2ds	86
Do 1st inc	70	S. A. & A. P. 4s	85
C. & O. 4½s	106	South. Pac. 4s	95¾
C. B. & Q. 2½s	94	Southern Ry. 5s	118¾
C. B. & Q. new 4s	96	Tenn. C. & I. gen. 6s	118¾
C. M. & St. P. g. 4s	114	T. & S. L. 4s	102¾
C. & N. con. 7s	135	Union Pacific 4s	104¾
C. R. I. & P. 4s	95¾	Do conv. 4s	106¾
C. C. C. & St. L. g. 4s	101¾	Wabash 1st	119
*Chicago Ter. 4s	90	Do 2ds	110
Col. & South. 4s	93¾	Do Deb. B	83½
Del. & Hud. 4s	116¾	W. & L. E. 4s	93½
Erie prior lien 4s	99¾	W. & L. E. 5s	107½
Do general 4s	86¾	Wiscon. Cent. 4s	92¼
F. W. & D. C. 1st	114	Cons. Tobacco 4s	68
Hock. Val. 4½s	108		

*Offered.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

American Can	12½	N. Ams. Gas 6s	110
Do preferred	52	North. Securities	110¾
Am. Sugar Ref.	125¼	Ont. & Que. Trans.	170
Bay State Gas	1¼	Otis Elevator	43
Brit. Col. Cop.	5¾	Do preferred	100
Brooklyn Ferry	74	U. S. Powder pfd.	104½
Electric Boat	24	Seaboard Air Line	8¾
Do preferred	38	Do preferred	49¾
Electric Vehicle	55	Standard Oil	663
Do preferred	97	Penn. Copper	17
Man. Transit	15	Union Copper	7
Greene Cons. Cop.	28	United Copper	31
Internat. Salt	10¼	White Knob Cop.	16

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Penna. Railroad	82	Tidewater Steel	6¼
Phila. Traction	95	Cambria Steel	28½
Union Traction	48	Elec. Co. of Am.	6¾
Elec. & Peo. 4s	98¼	American Rys.	53
Con. Trac. N. J.	69	Alkali	....
Leh. Valley Superior	85	Alkali pf.	25
Storage	85	Phila. Co.	40
Do preferred	88	Railways General	4¾
Marsden	5½	Lehigh Valley	55
Phila. Electric	6	Superior Steel	23½
United Gas Impt.	114	Powder	11

Chicago Stocks.

American Can	12⅝	Nat. Carbon com	152½
Do preferred	52½	Quaker Oats pfd.	91
Chicago Tele	129	Swinoni	14½
Diamond Match	139	Do preferred	85½
Diamond Match	139	Lake St. El.	19¼
National Biscuit	46⅞	Met. El. com	41
Do preferred	104½	W. Chicago St. Ry	56

Electric Stocks.

Westing. common	108	Mass. Electric	35½
General Electric	183½	Do preferred	96

NEW YORK PRICES.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings bank building, members New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close
34700	A., T. & S. F.	90⅝	91⅞	89	90⅞
3300	Do preferred	101½	102¾	100¾	100¾
	Am. Cotton Oil	52	53	51	52
	Do preferred				90
2000	Am. Sugar Ref.	125½	126¾	125¾	125½
	Do preferred				120
1700	Am. Locomotive	31¾	31¾	31	31
	Do preferred	94¾	94¾	94½	94½
12500	Am. Cal. Powder	57¾	57¾	56¾	56¾
600	Do preferred	85	85¾	85	85¾
4800	Amal. Copper	65¾	65¾	65	65⅝
	Am. Cop. Mining				105
900	Am. Smelting Ref.	46¼	46¼	46	46
800	Do preferred	90	90	89⅝	90
	American Ice	11	11¼	11	11⅛
	Do preferred	38½	38¾	38½	38
12800	B. R. T.	107⅞	108¾	105½	107⅝
	Do preferred	85	85¾	85	85¾
3840	Brooklyn R. T.	65¾	65⅝	64	64¾
3900	Canadian Pacific	137⅜	138⅝	136½	137⅞
2500	Chicago Gt. W.	21	21⅜	20¾	20⅞
1900	Chesapeake & Ohio	29¾	29¾	28¾	29⅛
	Do C., C. & S. L.	103⅜	103⅜	102¾	102¾
2600	Chesa. & Ohio 4s	82½	83	80	81¾
1200	Chicago & Alton	37⅝	38⅜	37	37¾
4700	Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	174¾	174¾	174	174
	Chicago & North.				233
46400	Col. Fuel & Iron	83	88½	83	86
700	Col. Southern	31¾	32	31¾	32¼
	Do 1st pfd				52¾
500	Do 2d pfd	40½	40½	40¼	40¾
	D., L. & W.				226¾
1600	Del., & Hudson	176	177	175½	175
32800	Erie	40	40¾	39⅝	39⅝
4000	Do 1st pfd	69	69¾	67¾	68¾
700	Do 2d pfd	53¾	53⅝	54¼	54
1100	General Electric	185¾	187¼	184	185
3000	Illinois Central	153¾	153¾	150	151½
500	Int. & Gt. North.	44¼	46¼	44	46
400	Do preferred	82	82¾	82	81½
500	Internat. Paper	20¾	20⅞	20¾	20¾
100	Do preferred	73¾	73¾	73¾	72
200	International Pump	67¾	67¾	66¾	66
	Int. E. & Western				60
	Do preferred				120
7800	Louis. & Nash.	139½	140½	138½	139¾
22600	Manhattan	136¾	138¾	136¼	137¾
54600	Missouri Pacific	115¾	116⅞	112¾	115⅝
500	M. K. & T. pfd.	62¾	62¾	62	62½
1500	Metropolitan	141¾	142	139⅝	140
6000	Mexican Central	24¾	25¾	24¾	25¼
2900	New York Central	28¾	28¾	28	28⅝
	Do preferred	96	96	95	94
100	National Biscuit	46½	46½	46½	46½
	Do preferred				103
2000	N. Y., Ont. & W.	158	158¾	155¾	157¾
	N. J. Central				179
28100	N. Y., O. & W.	34¾	36⅛	34¾	35¾
19600	Norfolk & West.	75¾	76	73½	73⅞
	Do preferred				84
100	North Am. Co.				125
	Omaha				288
900	P., C., C. & St. L.	104¾	104⅝	103¾	104⅝
	Pullman				250
32200	P. S. Car	65¾	65½	59¼	61¼
2200	Do preferred	94	95¾	94	94
34500	Penna. R. R.	104¾	105¾	102¾	104
	P., C., C. & St. L.				98
	Do preferred				104
	Railway Springs	36½	37¾	36	36¾
	Do preferred	88¾	88½	88½	88¾
98700	Reading	73¾	75¾	69¾	71⅝
9700	Do 1st pfd.	88½	88¾	87¾	87¾
9900	Do 2d pfd.	78	80	78	78¾
400	Rock Island	20¼	20¾	20¼	20¼
4600	Republic Iron	21¾	22⅝	21¾	21½
1000	Do preferred	73	73	73	73
209	St. L. & S. F.	79	79	78¾	78¾
	Do 1st pfd.				82
600	Do 2d pfd.	74¾	74⅞	74	74
23000	Southern Pacific	75⅜	76⅜	75¾	75¾
28200	Southern Ry.	29¾	30⅜	28¾	28⅝
200	Do preferred	96	96	96	96¼
73300	St. Paul	191¾	196½	190¾	193¾
100	Do preferred				185
200	St. L. & S. Louis	34½	34¾	34	34¾
	Do 1st pfd.				75
1000	Do 2d pfd.	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾
1000	Tenn. C. & Iron	97	98¾	96¾	97½
2500	Texas & Pacific	47¾	48¾	46¾	47⅜
700	T., St. L. & K. W.	29¾	29⅝	28¾	28⅝
400	Do preferred	43¾	43¾	43	41½
13400	U. S. Steel	40¾	40¾	39¾	40⅝
11600	Do preferred	90¾	90⅝	89	89⅞
48500	Union Pacific	105¾	106¾	102¾	105¾
500	Do preferred	91	91¾	90	90
400	U. S. Rubber	18¾	19	18	18
2000	U. S. Leather	14¾	14⅝	14	14
2500	Do preferred	89¾	90	89	90
1000	Wabash	24¾	25⅜	24¾	24¾
1500	Do preferred	50¾	51	49	49¾
300	W. U. Telegraph	93¾	93¾	91¾	93¼
400	W. & L. E.	28	28¾	26¾	27½
	Do preferred	69¼	69½	69¼	69¼
	Do 2d pfd				38¼
2000	Wis. Central	28¼	28¾	28	28
800	Do preferred	53¼	53⅝	52	52⅜
	Do 1st pfd	84¾	84¾	84	84¾
500	Do 2d pfd	55¾	55¾	55½	55
	Kanawha & Mich	43	43¾	43	43⅝
1600	Hocking Valley	96	96¾	95	94
	Do preferred				91

Supplementary New York Stocks.

(By private wire to The Gazette.)

Sales.	STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Close.
2000	Am. Bicycle	1⅜	1	1⅜
300	Do preferred	3¾	3¼	3¼
500	Am. Dist. Tel.	39½	39	39
1100	Am. H. & L. pfd.	42¾	41¾	41¾
100	Am. Linseed Oil	25	25	25
100	Am. Malting	6¾	6¾	6¾

STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sales.			
100 Am. Snuff	135	135	135
500 Am. Tobacco pfd.	148	145¾	146
500 Brunswick	12	12	12
1200 Chicago Ter. Transit	22¼	21⅝	21⅝
300 Do preferred	40¼	38¾	38¾
100 Con. Cable	170½	170½	170½
100 Con. Tobacco pfd.	123	123	123
500 D. & R. G.	45¾	43¾	45¾
500 Do preferred	93	92¾	92¾
100 Gen. Chem. pfd.	101¾	101¾	101¾
500 Kanawha & Mich.	43¾	43	43⅜
4200 M. S. P. & S. S. M.	74¾	72	73¾
400 Nat. R. R. of M.	19¾	19¾	19¾
500 N. Y. Airbrake	181¾	179	181
400 Pacific Coast	78	77	77
500 Rubber Goods	22	22	22
200 Sloss	62¾	62	62
500 Twin City	123	121¾	123
900 Va. Car. Chem.	68¼	67¾	67¾
100 Wells Fargo	240	240	240
200 W. E. Mfg.	218½	218	218½

Boston Stocks.

Atchison	90¼	American Sugar	125⅜
Do preferred	93¾	Do preferred	119½
Boston & Albany	258	Am. Tel. & Tel.	97
Boston & Maine	194	Dominion I. & Steel	64¼
Boston Elevated	156	N. E. G. & Coke	4⅞
N. Y., N. H. & H.	205	United Fruit	112¼
Fitchburg	142	Daly West	42½
Union Pacific	105⅝	U. S. Steel	40¾
Mexican Central	26⅛	Do preferred	89¾

Columbus Stocks.

(Reported by McElroy & Boyle.)

Columbus Gas	106	Do preferred	97
Do preferred	108	Rochester St. Ry.	75
Columbus St. Ry.	58	Do preferred	98¼
Do preferred	108	N. Ohio Trac.	67
E. St. L. & S.	52	Do preferred	97
Grand Rapids St. Ry.	52	C., D. & T. Trac.	41¼

Dividends Declared.

The American Shipbuilding Company has declared a quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on the common stock, payable December 1.

The Allegheny Heating Company has declared a quarterly dividend of 3 per cent, payable November 1 to stock of record October 15.

The Wheeling Natural Gas Company and the Ohio Valley Gas Company has each declared their regular quarterly dividends of 2½ per cent, both payable October 18.

The Union Steel Casting Company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 3 per cent. The old officers have been re-elected as follows: C. C. Smith, president; S. H. Church, vice president; G. W. Smith, secretary, and G. W. Elsenbeis, treasurer.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $221,986,519; gold, $136,054,847; silver, $10,370,096; United States notes, $8,822,224. Treasury notes of 1890, $2,876,897. National bank notes, $13,798,785; total receipts this day, $2,841,287; total receipts this month, $6,654,474; total receipts this year, $145,146,909; total expenditures this day, $2,864,524; total expenditures this month, $5,150,000; total expenditures this year, $142,631,976; deposits in national banks, $330,885,178.

NEWS FROM THE MINES

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Ploche (Nev.), reports a continuance of the excitement over the strike on the Silver King. The ledge has been traced through locations made on the south and north end lines of the Caesar, on which the original discovery was made. Samples show sulphurets that will run from 1,000 to 2,000 ounces silver.

Alexander H. Tarbel has sold the Afterthought, in Shasta county, Cal., for $150,000 to Willard F. Snyder.

A good strike is reported in the Victor at Tintic. It is in a drift from the 400-foot level, where the vein is three feet wide and rich in copper.

The Atlantic tunnel at Georgetown, Col., shows a promising streak of $480 ore in the Warfield & Artz.

At a depth of 400 feet on the Practical lease of the United Gold Mines Company, Cripple Creek, a vein from eight to ten feet wide has been opened. One lot of 65 tons returned $100 and another of 90 tons went $65 to the ton.

The Metal Market.

Tin declined again today in the local market following the easier tone of London, where spot closed £1 lower at £114 and futures at £113. There was a sale of five tons of spot here at $25 10, and the market closed at $24 95 @25 10. Copper was dull and easier locally, with standard at $10 65@11 00; electrolytic at $11 42½@11 62½; casting at $11 35@11 50, and Lake superior at $11 50@11 70. London prices were unchanged at £52 7s 6d on spot and £52 for futures. Lead in London advanced 1s 3d, closing at £19 16s 3d, but was unchanged and quiet at 4½c in the New York market. Spelter also advanced 2s 6d in London, where it closed

PRICE SCHEDULE TO STAY INTACT

Steel Plate Pool to Confess by Inaction Its Entire Lack of Control.

CLOSER UNION DESIRED

Washington Canard About Comptroller Ridgely "Overruling" Secretary Shaw Bears the Stock Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Oct. 3.—A meeting of the representatives of the mills included in the steel plate pool will be held in this city next Thursday, when action will be taken in connection with the adjustment of the present scale of prices.

The opinion prevails in steel circles that the association will adjourn without changing the price schedule, which is $1 60 per 100 pounds, Pittsburgh, and $1 78, New York. The foregoing figures were agreed upon several months ago, but the extraordinary demand for steel plates has been accompanied by an advance far above the prices fixed upon by the pool.

Steel plates for future delivery are now selling on a basis of $2 10 and $2 15, New York. Lots for quick delivery command $2 30. Owing to the upward tendency of prices the pool has done nothing of late in the matter of adjusting prices and regulating output. In other words, prices have been allowed to take their own course, and it is unlikely that the steel plate mills will take any definite action until the demand becomes less pronounced.

A representative of one of the largest steel plate concerns today said that negotiations looking toward a combination of steel plate interests probably would be resumed when business begins to show signs of becoming less active.

Effect of Washington Canard.

About 2 o'clock this afternoon stocks began suddenly to break by quarter and half points. Until then the market had been consistently strong. People watched the board with amazement for a minute or two and then began to cast around for the cause.

It was soon apparent in the story from Washington that the comptroller of the currency had taken issue with Secretary Shaw in the matter of the secretary withdrawing reserve funds against government deposits, holding that the same must be restored. This meant that the $30,000,000, more or less, that was made available for the relief of the stock market by Secretary Shaw must be called in, and here, indeed, was sufficient cause for consternation and the selling of stocks.

Then came a positive denial, on faith of which values recovered as violently as they had declined and within 30 minutes were back almost to their high prices of the day.

Colorado Fuel Decision.

A copy of the order entered by Judge Caldwell of the Colorado Fuel suit was received here today. Only minor features thereof are new, viz., that the transfer books of the Knickerbocker Trust Company of New York are to be closed 20 days before the meeting on December 10. The master in chancery will have absolute authority to determine who shall be permitted to vote at the meeting, and the court retains jurisdiction for any further orders which may be desirable in the premises.

New Coke Company.

The Federal Coal and Coke Company was incorporated under the laws of New Jersey today with a capital stock of $125,000. The incorporators are Horace S. Gould, Raymond Newman and K. K. McLaren. It is said the new company will operate in the Pittsburgh district.

Form of Bank Statement.

At the clearing house it was announced this afternoon that the bank statement given to the public tomorrow will be in the usual form, no distinction being made between government and other deposits, but that in their returns to the clearing house the banks will give an extra "column," showing deposits, thereby counting reserve exclusively upon deposits of other than government money. In the public statement, of course, banks are expected to show reserves considerably less than legal requirements.

E. W. HARDEN.

WILL RACE WITH UNCLE SAM.

Moody Accepts Shipbuilding Company's Battleship Challenge.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 3.—The secretary of the navy today awarded the contract for the construction of the battleship Louisiana to the Newport News Shipbuilding Company at its bid of $3,990,000.

The Newport News company has challenged the navy department to show whether this company or the New York navy yard can turn out a battleship in the shortest time. The shipbuilding company is hampered by an abundance of new construction, while the New York navy yard must organize a shipbuilding force and modernize its plant.

OIL COMPANIES LOSE.

Court Refuses to Mandamus Government to Open Public Lands.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 3.—The district supreme court today overruled a motion for a rehearing made by the Cosmos Exploration Company and the Riverside Oil Company of California in cases against the secretary of the interior, involving large oil land interests in Southern California.

The companies sought to have the courts declare the lands vacant and open to settlement. The court held that such action is discretionary with the interior department.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, Oct. 3.—The Commercial Bulletin will say in tomorrow's report on the wool trade of the United States: "The American Woolen Company bought heavily during the past week, its purchases aggregating, it is believed, fully 25,000,000 pounds, to be delivered as wanted. The bulk of the business has been in territory and Oregon wools. Current prices are said to have been paid. From this source the demand has been fair, but not specially active. The tone of the market is extremely firm and an advance all around is predicted. London closed with prices 10 to 15 per cent above the closing July rates. The receipts of wool in Boston since January 1, 1902, have been 286,987,199 pounds, against 219,674,140 pounds for the same period in 1901. The Boston shipments to date are 209,546,062 pounds, against shipments of 194,225,517 pounds for the same period in 1901. The stock on hand in Boston January 1, 1902, was 77,549,463 pounds; the total stock today is 154,784,499 pounds. The stock on hand October 4, 1901, was 109,417,582 pounds.

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 3.—Spirits turpentine, 48¾c. Rosin steady. $1 15@1 20. Crude turpentine firm. $1 90@2 60. Tar firm. $1 40.

SAVANNAH, GA., Oct. 3.—Turpentine firm, 49c. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, D, E, $1 25; F, $1 32½; G, $1 35; H, $1 45; I, $1 90; K, $2 50; M, $3 00; N, $3 40; WG, $4 00; WW, $4 60.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 3.—Turpentine firm, 47½c. Rosin unchanged.

DECEMBER CORN AGAIN GOES UP

Bad Weather Condition Adds Strength in This Pit and Sellers Become Buyers.

WHEAT IS ON UP GRADE

Strong Cables Change Dull and Spasmodic Opening Into Rally. Receipts Lower—Oats Prices Strong—Provisions Steady.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chicago, Oct. 3.—Corn today was again the absorbing feature on the board of trade and with generally unfavorable weather, prices for that cereal were strong and higher, December closing 1c over last night's close. December wheat closed ⅝c higher, while oats were 1¼c higher. Provisions ruled strong and closed from 7½@10c to 30c higher.

Some strength was shown in wheat, but trading was rather dull and inclined to the spasmodic order. Strong cables, together with higher prices in corn, were the principal strengthening influences. A good export and shipping demand also tended to maintain better values. The principal trading was in December, which opened ⅜@⅝c lower to ⅝@¼c higher at 69⅝@70c. After selling to 70¼@70⅝c longs began to dispose of considerable holdings, and the market sagged accordingly, going back to 69⅝c. Late in the session buying by commission houses with limited offerings brought about a rally to 70¼@70¾c. The close was ⅝c higher at 70¼@70¼c.

How Stocks Stand.

Primary receipts were 1,210,944 bushels, against 1,314,442 a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 780 cars, which with local receipts of 120 cars, with only four of contract grade, made total receipts for the three points of 900 cars, against 1,204 cars last week and 1,033 a year ago.

The volume of trading in corn was again large and a firm undertone was manifested. Early in the session there was considerable realizing and some short selling, but in spite of this combined pressure prices were well maintained. Small receipts with continued unfavorable weather were bull features. December opened ¼@⅜c higher at 48¾@49¼c, and on commission house selling, together with short selling, a reaction to 48⅝c followed.

Sellers Turn Buyers.

Later the early sellers turned buyers and the close was strong and at the high point of the day at 49¼c, showing a gain of 1c over yesterday's close. Local receipts were 80 cars, with 21 of contract grade.

Oats were inclined to dullness, but prices were strong in sympathy with corn. Small receipts with poor grading combined with an improvement in the cash situation were factors. December opened unchanged to ⅛c higher at 31½@31¾c, selling between 31½@32½c, closing 1¼c higher at 32⅜c. Local receipts were 112 cars.

There was only a moderate trade in provisions, but the market was strong. Higher prices in grains and small receipts of hogs were the bull factors. January pork closed 30c higher at $15 75, lard 7½@10c higher at $8 85 and ribs 10c higher at $8 27½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 115 cars; corn, 150 cars; oats, 155 cars; hogs, 9,000 head.

The leading futures as corrected by John D. Armstrong & Co., 209 Sixth street, members of Chicago board of trade:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yest'r day's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2					
Oct.	68¾	69⅛	68¾	69	68¼
Dec.	70	70⅝	69¾	70⅛	69½
May	71	71	70⅞	71	70½
CORN					
No. 2					
Oct.	50½	60	50¼	60	59
Dec.	49¼	49½	48⅝	49⅛	48⅛
May	43¾	44⅝	42¾	43⅝	42⅝
OATS					
No. 2					
Oct. n.	31¼	32½	31¼	32½	30⅝
Dec. n.	31⅜	32⅝	31⅛	32⅝	31½
May	32⅜	34	32½	33⅝	32½
MESS PORK					
Oct.	16 80	16 90	16 80	16 80	16 85
Jan.	15 55	15 75	15 55	15 75	15 45
May	14 45	14 55	14 45	14 55	14 35
LARD					
Oct.	10 07½	10 10	10 05	10 10	10 05
Jan.	8 80	8 85	8 80	8 85	8 77½
May	8 17½	8 22½	8 17½	8 22½	8 17½
SHORT RIBS					
Oct.	11 40	11 47½	11 40	11 47½	11 25
Jan.	8 25	8 27½	8 20	8 27½	8 17½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour moderately active and steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 73@75½c; No. 3, 69@71c; No. 2 red, 68¾@69¾c; No. 3, 67@68½c; No. 2 yellow, 62¼c; No. 2 oats, 28c; No. 3 white, 30@35½c; No. 2 rye, 48c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 27; No. 1 northwestern, $1 28; mess pork, $16 50@17 00; lard (loose), $11 20@11 40; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $9 25@9 50; short clear sides (loose), $11 50@11 67½; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 32; clover, contract grade, $10 00.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	25,200	20,100
Wheat, bu	150,000	24,100
Corn, bu	214,700	429,700
Oats, bu	270,300	107,100
Rye, bu	7,200	18,900
Barley, bu	72,900	16,800

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Flour—Receipts, 23,588 bbls; exports, 36,662 bbls; firm and active, with top grades held higher. Rye flour firm. Buckwheat flour firm. Cornmeal firm.

Grain—Rye firm; No. 2 western, 68½c f o b afloat. Barley steady. Wheat—Receipts, 105,425 bu; exports, 176,140 bu; spot firm; No. 2 red, 74½c elevator, and 75½c f o b afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 80½c f o b afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 80c f o b afloat. With the exception of one or two unimportant reactions, wheat was active and firm all day. Larger outside buying developed, northwest receipts were smaller, Argentine news more bullish and the corn strength a factor. The close was firm at ⅝c net advance. May, 74⅞@75¼c, closed 75¼c; December, 74½@74⅞c, closed 74⅝c. Corn—Receipts, 30,450 bu; exports, 4,202 bu; spot firm; No. 2 elevator, 70c f o b afloat; No. 2 yellow, 70½c; No. 2 white, 70½c. On predictions of further rains in Colorado, coupled with higher cables and a bullish sentiment, corn advanced sharply today on a large trade and closed very firm at 1@1½c net advance. January, 47½@48c, closed 47¾@48¼c; May, 47@48¼c, closed 48¼c; October, closed 67c; November, 62¼@63¼c, closed 63¼c; December, 54¼@55¼c, closed 55⅛c. Oats—Receipts, 44,551 bu; exports, 4,000 bu; spot firm; No. 2, 32c; No. 2 white, 36½c; No. 3 white, 35½c; track white, state, 37@37½c; track white, state, 37@37½c. Options active and stronger west on small receipts, unfavorable weather and the northern advance. October closed 36½c; December closed 37¼c.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 3.—Flour dull, unchanged; receipts, 10,445 bbls; exports, 6,000 bbls. Wheat firm; spot and October, 71¾@71¾c; December, 72¾@72¾c; steamer No. 2 red, 68@69½c; receipts, 12,966 bushels; exports, none; southern by sample, 69@71c; southern on grade, 70½@72c. Corn firmer; spot and October, 55¾@56c; November, 55¾@55¾c; December, 49¾@49¾c; January, 47¾@48c; receipts, 9,288 bushels; exports, none; southern white corn, 60@60c; southern yellow corn, 59½. Oats firm; No. 2 white, 34c; No. 3 mixed, 29½@30c; receipts, 24,003 bushels; exports, none.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 3.—Close—Wheat, No. 2 red, cash, 67¾c; December, 67¾c; May, 69¾c; No. 2 hard, 67½c. Corn, No. 2, cash, 39½c; December, 40c; May, 40c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 29½c; December, 25½c; May, 30½c. No. 2 white, 35c.

DULUTH, Oct. 3.—Close—Wheat, cash, No. 1 hard, 75½c; No. 1 northern, 68¾c; No. 2 northern, 66¾c; December, 66¾c; May, 69¼c; November, 67¾c; Macaroni, No. 1, 64¾c; No. 2, 62¾c. Oats, December, 29½c.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Oct. 3.—Wheat steady; cash, 68½c; December, 67¾c. No. 2 northern, 70@72c; December, 66¾c. Rye steady; No. 1, 50c. Barley steady; No. 2, 72c; sample, 40@50c. Corn, December, 48¾c.

TOLEDO, Oct. 3.—Wheat moderately active; big bear; cash and October, 70c; December, 70½c; May, 74½c. Corn active, higher; December, 48¼c; May, 43c. Oats dull; December, 32½c; May, 33½c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CENTRAL STOCK YARDS.

Friday, Oct. 3, 1902.

Cattle—Supply light; market steady; choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs., $6 80@7 00; prime, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $6 00@6 50; good, 1,000 to 1,150 lbs., $4 75@5 50; tidy butchers', 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., $4 50@5 00; fair, 900 to 1,000 lbs., $3 75@4 25; common, 600 to 800 lbs., $2 75@3 25; bulls and stags, $3 10@4 50; common to good, $2 00@4 00; best fresh cows, $40 00@55 00; common to good, $30 00@35 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 15 double-decks; market active and 10c higher; prime heavies, $7 55@7 75; mediums, $7 35@7 40; heavy Yorkers, $7 20@7 30; light Yorkers, $6 90@7 15; pigs, $6 40@6 50; skips, $2 00@4 00; roughs, $6 00@7 00.

Sheep—Supply light; market steady on sheep and stronger on lambs; best wethers, 65 to 100 lbs., $3 50@3 75; good, 85 to 90 lbs., $3 20@3 50; mixed, 75 to 80 lbs., $2 50@3 00; culls and common, $1 50@2 00; choice lambs, $5 25@5 50; common to good, $3 00@5 20. Veal calves, $7 50@8 00; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The coffee market opened steady, with prices 5 to 10 points higher. Firm European markets and light primary receipts upinging in a number of the lesser shorts and in addition inspiring moderate amount of investment buying. During the forenoon they were chief sellers, but afternoon offerings were scarce and prices advanced 5 to 15 points, closing at several option bids from the bull leaders and covering. The market was finally steady at a net advance of 5 to 15 points. Trade was not active, total sales amounting to but 21,500 bags, including October at 5.10@5.15c; November, 5.20c; December, 5.30@5.35c; January, 5.45c; March, 5.55@5.60c; May, 5.70@5.80c; July, 5.85@5.90c; August, 5.90c. Spot coffee, Rio and Santos grades, dull; No. 7, 6½c; No. 4, 7½c; mild, steady; Cordova, 7@9c; sales, 1,000 bags. Refined sugar declined five points all along the list. Other staples unchanged.

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Oats—No. 2 white, 35½@36c; extra No. 3, 34½@35c; regular No. 3, 33½@34c.

Millfeed—White middlings, per ton, No. 2, $17 75@18 50; brown, $16 75@17 00; bran, $16 25@16 50.

Groceries.

Flour—Jobbers' prices: Fancy spring patents, $4 10@4 25; fancy winter patents, $3 75@3 85; straight winter, $3 60@3 70; bakers' spring, $3 00@3 60; rye, $3 45@3 60; graham, $4 00@4 50; cornmeal, bbl, $3 60@3 75; 10-lb sacks, $1 60@1 65.

Sugar—Standard granulated, 4.85c; fine, 4.80c; 2-lb cartons, 5.00c; 5-lb jute bags, 4.95c; powdered, 4.80c; powdered XXXX, 4.95c; cubes, 4.95c; diamond C, 4.80c; confectioners' A, 4.85c; coffee A, 4.85@4.50c; No. 1 yellow, 4.35c; No. 2 do, 4.25c; No. 3 do, 4.20c. Quotations are for Pittsburgh and Allegheny wagon delivery. Add 5c per 100 lbs for freight to points within a radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.

Cereals—Rolled oats, bbl, $5 50@5 60; kegs, $2 90; packages, $2 60@3 10; oatmeal, bbls, $6 00; kegs, $3 15.

Molasses—Fancy refined, 30@32c; choice do, 26@29c; prime do, 22@25c; new open kettle, 37@40c; fancy sugar syrup, 30@32c; sugar and syrup, 28@30c; syrup in 2½-lb tin cans, $1 05; 5-lb, $1 25; 5-lb, $2 20; 10-lb, $4 00 per dozen.

Coffee—Roasted, bulk, Rio, 10½@12c; Santos, 12½@22c; Maracaibo, 17@17½c; Peaberry, 17@18c; Caracas, 19@19½c; Golden Rio, 14@15c; Java, 26@29c; Mocha, 25½c; standard brands, 1-lb packs, 10.80c (with rebate of ¾c allowed to retailers); high grades, 1-lb pkgs, 14.80@16.80c.

Beans—Prime marrow, bu, $2 40@2 50; H. P. navy, $2 25@2 60; red kidneys, $2 80@2 90; California Limas, 5½@6½c.

Peas—Dried peas, bu, $1 70@1 90; Scotch, per bu, $1 95@2 00; split peas, bu, $2 15; less, 4c per lb.

Oil—Carbon, 110 deg, 9c; headlight, 9½c; water white, 10c; Elaine, 13½c; Ohio W. W. test, 9½c; miners' Lewis, 5½@52c; special brands, 26@43c; prime refined, 26c.

Rice—Extra fancy head, 7½@7¾c; fancy Japan, 5c; choice Carolina, 9@9½c; prime Carolina, 4¾@5¼c.

Salt—No. 1, $1 00 bbl; No. 1 extra, $1 10; dairy, $1 20; granulated rock, 65c sack; pocket salt, $1 55@1 85.

Fish—No. 1 mess, mackerel, bbls, $23 00; half bbls, $12 00; quarter bbls, $6 12; 20-lb pails, $2 10; 10-lb pails, $1 30; No. 2 mackerel, new, bbl, $22 00; half bbl, $11 32; quarter bbl, $5 82; 10-lb pails, $1 30; lake herring, 100 lbs, $4 10; 50-lb quarters, $1 55; 10-lbs, 62c.

Canned Goods.

Standard pie peaches, 80@85c; gallon pie peaches, $2 50@3 00; California L. C. peaches, $1 90@2 35; Maryland peaches, $1 80@1 60; California Y. E., $1 80@2 00; corn, fancy brands, $1 00@1 05; corn, 87½@90c; California cherries, white, $2 10@2 25; Lima beans, $1 20@1 40; soaked Lima beans, 75@80c; string do, 95@$1 25; marrowfat peas, 95c@$1 00; early June peas, $1 00@1 30; soaked peas, 55@65c; New York apples, gal cans, $3 50@3 60; pineapples, 2 12@2 25; grated pineapple plums, $1 60; California plums, $1 40; raspberries, 85@95c; gooseberries, 95c@$1 00; standard tomatoes, $1 05@1 10; fancy do, $1 20@1 30; salmon, dos 1-lb cans, $1 90@2 00; succotash, 1-lb cans, 65c@$1 40; chipped beef, 1-lb cans, $2 50@2 75; corned and roast beef, 1-lb cans, $2 50@2 75; roast beef, cans, $1 40@2 50; mackerel, 2 and 3-lb cans, broiled, $1 75@2 00; sardines, domestic, ¼s, $2 00@3 65; mustards, ¼s, $2 00; French, $7 00@14 25; oysters, 1-lb full weight, 85c@$1 25; 1-lb bunch, flat cans, $1 10; baked beans with tomato sauce, 85c@$1 40.

Dried Fruits.

Evaporated apricots, in bags, 8½@9c; 25-lb boxes, 8@12c; apples, in bulk, 10c; 1-lb cartons, 10@11c; peaches, 8@12c; raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs, 9¾@11c; raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4-crown, 50-lb boxes, 7½@8c per lb; Ondara Valencias, new, 10½@10¾c; California Valencia, 7c; raspberries, 26@27½c; currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb pkgs, 6¾@7c; California prunes, 5¾@8½c.

Fruits and Produce.

Apples—Kings, per bbl, $2 25@2 50; cooking apples, $1 00@1 75; other fancy varieties, $1 75@2 25.

Carrots—Per doz bunches, 20@25c.

Cucumbers—Home grown, $1 50@2 00.

Onions—Per bbl, $2 25@2 50.

Potatoes—Per bbl, $1 75@2 00; per bu, 50@60c; Virginia sweet potatoes, per bbl, $1 75@2 00; per crate, $2 50@3 00; Jersey mediums, $1 50@1 65.

Cabbage—Per ton, $7 50@9 00; per bbl, 75@90c.

Cider—New sweet apple juice, bbl, $4 50@5 00; old sharp apple juice, bbl, $3 50@3 00; choice cranberry, bbl, $6 00@6 00; refined apple juice, gal, 12@15c; Duffy's 10-gal kegs, $3 00; 10-gal kegs, $5 00@5 25; pure grape juice, kegs, $3 50; per gal, 18@20c.

Beets—Per doz, 25@30c; per bbl, $2 00@2 25.

Parsley—Home grown, per doz, 12@15c.

Radishes—Per doz, 20@25c.

Tomatoes—Home grown, per bu, $1 25@1 50.

Spinach—Per bu, 30@40c; per bbl, $2 50.

Green onions—Per doz, 16@15c.

Celery—Per doz, 25@35c.

Lettuce—Home grown, per doz, 35@40c.

Egg plant—Per doz, $1 25@1 50.

Turnips—New, per bu, 50@75c.

Carrots—Per bbl, $1 75@2 00.

Garlic—Per lb, 7@7½c.

Green corn—Home grown, per basket, $1 00@1 25.

String beans—Green, per basket, 90c@$1 00; wax, 90c@$1 00.

Kohlrabi—Per doz bunches, 30@40c.

Honey—White comb, new crop, 16@17c; New York white clover, 17@18c; buckwheat, 11@12c.

Maple syrup—Per gal, 65@90c.

Mango peppers—Per bbl, $1 00@1 25.

Cauliflower—Per doz, $1 25.

Canaloupes—Rocky Fords, $1 75@2 50.

Huckleberries—Per qt, 9@10c; bucket, $1 00@1 25.

Plums—Damson, per bushel, $2 00@2 50; small baskets, 40@50c.

Quinces—Per bbl, $4 00@4 50.

Pears—Per bbl, $2 00@2 50; Bartlett, $3 50@4 00; Kiefer, hampers, 90c@$1 00.

Grapes—Concord, per basket, 16@18c.

Peaches—Yellow freestone, canners, 75c@$1 25; white fruit, canners, $1 00; Climax, 25c pound baskets, fancy, 35@50c; choice, 20@25c.

Watermelons—Per hundred, $10 00@20 00; per car, $75 00@100 00.

Chestnuts—Per bushel, 40@50c.

Cranberries—Cape Cod fancy, $2 25@2 75; choice, $2 00@2 25.

Parsnips—Per bbl, $2 00@2 25.

Rutabagas—Per bbl, 90c@$1 00.

Tropical Fruits and Nuts.

Nuts—Almonds, 17c; filberts, 11c; English walnuts, 11@13c, pecans, 12@15c; Brazil nuts, 9c; Mixed nuts, 11c; peanuts, jumbos, 7c; fancy hand picked, 5½c; per lb; California papershell almonds, 15c; chestnuts, 9@11c.

Lemons—California, $3 25@3 50; Messina, $3 75@4 00; Maori, $4 00@4 50.

Limes—Per hundred, $1 00.

Cocoanuts—Per bag, $3 00@3 25.

Oranges—Jamaica, $5 00@6 00; Valencia, $4 00@5 00.

Bananas—Firsts, $1 50@1 75; eights, $1 00@1 25; seconds, 75c@$1 00.

Figs—2½-inch, 14c per lb.

Plums—California, per box, $1 25@1 35.

Peaches—California, per box, 90c@$1 25.

Grapes—California, per box, $1 25@2 00.

Pineapples—Smooth Cayenne, per crate, $2 00@2 50.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

Butter—Elgin creamery prints, 25½@26c; do tubs, 24½@25c; Ohio and Pennsylvania creamery, 22½@23c; dairy butter, 15@15½c; fresh country roll, 18@20c.

Eggs—Strictly at mark, 20@20½c per doz; candled, 22½@23c; selects, 23@24c.

Cheese—New York full creams, 12¼@13c; Ohio, 12@12½c; ¾ cream, 11½@12c; do tubs, 12¼@12½c; Wisconsin Swiss, 14@14½c; 3-lb brick cheese, 13½c; limburger, 12½@13c.

Poultry and Game.

Live—Hens, per lb, 14c; broilers, 15c; roosters, 8c; turkeys, 10@11c; geese, 8@9c; ducks, old, 12c; ducks, spring, 13@14c; pigeons, $2 25 per doz.

Dressed—Hens, 10@10½c; broilers, 17@18c; roosters, 12@12½c; turkeys, 13@14c; small ducks, spring, 17@18c; Long Island ducks, 19@20c; mallard ducks, $1 50@1 75 per pair; teal ducks, $1 00 per pair; squabs, $3 25 per doz.; reebirds, $1 75 per doz; jumbo reedbirds, $1 25 per doz; medium reedbirds, 75c per doz.

Provisions.

Large hams, 18 lbs and up, 12¾c; medium hams, over 14 to 18 lbs, 13c; small hams, over 10 to 14 lbs, 13½c; skinned hams, 13¾c; small and under, 13¾c; skinned hams, 13½c; boneless boiled hams, 19½c; California hams, 12c; shoulders (New York cut), 10¾c; shoulders (skinned), 11½c; bacon shoulders, 11½c; do 10 to 16 lbs, 13¾c; breakfast bacon (rib), 10 to 12 lbs, 15¾c; breakfast bacon (rib), back strips, 15c; breakfast bacon (clear), 8 to 10 lbs, 16½c; breakfast bacon (clear), 10 to 12 lbs, 16c; breakfast bacon (clear), back strips, 15½c.

Dry salt meats—Sides (extra short clears), 13¾c; bellies, over 20 to 25 lbs, 13¾c; bellies, from 16 to 20 lbs, 13¾c; bellies, under 16 lbs, 13¾c.

Dry salt smoked meats—Sides (extra short clears), 14¼c; bellies, over 20 to 25 lbs, 14¼c; bellies, from 16 to 20 lbs, 14¼c; bellies, under 16 lbs, 14¾c.

Lard—Pure lard (tierces), 11¾c. The advance for smaller packages over tierces is as follows: 1bbls (about 240 lbs), ¼c; half bbls (about 109 lbs), ¾c; fancy tubs, net, 60 lbs, ½c; plain hardwood tubs, net, 50 lbs, ¾c; wooden buckets, net 20 lbs, ⅝c; 50-lb tin pails (1 or 2 in a case), ¼c; 10-lb tin pails (5 in a case), ⅜c; 5-lb tin pails (12 in a case), ⅝c; 3-lb tin pails (20 in a case), 1c.

Seeds.

Clover—From store, recleaned, 60-lb bu, small, $5 50@5 90; mammoth, $5 00@6 00; timothy, from store, $1 70@1 90; white Dutch, $10 00@12 00; alsike, $10 00@10 00; alfalfa, $7 10@7 20; millet, $1 65@1 70; Hungarian grass, 60@$1 10; lawn grass, 18@20c per lb; blue grass, 14-lb bu, $1 80@1 75 for red top, 14-lb bu, $1 40@2 00; timothy, $1 90@1 95.

Hides.

No. 1 green steer hides, heavy, 10c; do light, under 60 lbs and cows, all weights, 8c; No. 1 green bulls, 7c; calfskins, No. 1, 10c; No. 2 calf, 8c.

Green salt or cured hides—No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs, 11c; over 50 and under 60 lbs, 9c; No. 2 hides, 1 cent reduction; No. 1 calfskins, 11c; No. 2 calf, ½c less.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 3.—Butter firm, unchanged; fancy imitation, 19@20c; fancy creamery, 25@26c; fancy ladle, 16@18c; fancy roll, 15@16c; good roll, 14@15c; store packed, 14@16c. Eggs firm, unchanged; fresh, 22@23c. Cheese firm, unchanged; large, 11@11¾c; medium, 11¾@12c; small, 12@12¼c.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Butter—Receipts, 4,875 packages; steady; state dairy, 17@21½c; extra creamery, 22½c; creamery, common to choice, 17@22c. Cheese—Receipts, 4,784 packages; firm; new state full cream, small colored, fancy and white, 12c; large colored and white, 11½c.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Butter firm; creameries, 19@22½c; dairies, 18@22c. Eggs steady, loss off, cases returned, 20@20½c. Cheese steady, 10½@11¾c.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3.—Butter firm; packing stock, 19c higher; extra western creamery, 23c; do nearby prints, 25c. Eggs dull; fresh, nearby, 23c, loss off; do western, 23c, loss off; do southwestern, 21@22c, loss off; do southern, 20@21c, loss off. Cheese firm; New York full cream, small, 12@12¼c; do fair to good, 11¾@11¾c; do do prime large, 11¾@11¾c; do do fair to good large, 10¾@11¾c.

Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—There has been an improvement in the demand today, but not of any importance. The tone continues firm throughout for cotton goods of all descriptions. Lines are in better request and firm. Burlaps unchanged here, but foreign markets are strong.

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Heavy Supplies of Peaches in the Local Market—String Beans Easier.

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Millfeed—White middlings, per ton, No. 2, $17 75@18 50; brown, $16 75@17 00; bran, $16 25@16 50.

Groceries.

Flour—Jobbers' prices: Fancy spring patents, $4 10@4 25; fancy winter patents, $3 75@3 85; straight winter, $3 60@3 70; bakers' spring, $3 00@3 60; rye, $3 45@3 60; graham, $4 00@4 50; cornmeal, bbl, $3 60@3 75; 10-lb sacks, $1 60@1 65.

Sugar—Standard granulated, 4.85c; fine, 4.80c; 2-lb cartons, 5.00c; 5-lb

WILL CELEBRATE TWELFTH YEAR

Double Event to Be Commemorated at Observatory Hill Church.

PASTOR'S ANNIVERSARY

The Rev. John A. Jayne Has Been There Just Half of Its Life—Rally Day at Lincoln Avenue—Sheraden Event.

Tomorrow the Observatory Hill Christian church will celebrate the twelfth anniversary of its organization and special arrangements have been made to mark the event. At all the services there will be special music, and during the week following there will be services in the church every night. The speakers for the week-day services are the Revs. E. W. Thornton, W. J. Russell, Archie Gamble, W. J. Kerns and Frederick M. Gordon. On the following Sunday there will be a Bible school rally day.

The Rev. John A. Jayne started his work with the Observatory Hill church just six years ago and the celebration of the close of his sixth year as pastor is coincident with the twelfth anniversary of the organization of the church. The latter is an offspring of the First Christian church of Allegheny and for some time after the church building was erected was operated as a mission of the mother church.

Church Has Grown.

During Mr. Jayne's pastorate the church has grown considerably, over 150 members being added and $7,000 raised for improvements on the church building. Mr. Jayne has become widely known in this vicinity as the originator of the plan to use the magic lantern to illustrate sermons. During the last few years the lantern has won for itself a recognized place in sermon work.

The evangelistic meetings held all this week in the Melrose Avenue (Allegheny) Presbyterian church will be continued next week. The Rev. A. W. Verner, pastor of the church, is being assisted in the work by the Revs. O. N. Verner of McKees Rocks, C. S. Beatty of Pittsburgh and George E. Sehlbrede.

Rally day exercises will be held tomorrow in the Lincoln Avenue Methodist Episcopal church at which there is to be special music by the newly organized choir.

Will Dedicate Church.

The handsome building recently erected by the First United Presbyterian church of Sheraden will be dedicated tomorrow. The ceremony will be of more than usual interest, as it is but one year ago tomorrow since the church was organized. The Rev. John McDowell Hervey is pastor and it is due to his efforts that the congregation was enabled to so quickly erect a house of worship. Dr. Hervey has built up a strong congregation in this first year of his pastorate.

The dedication sermon will be preached by the Rev. J. M. Wallace of the Eighth church of Pittsburgh. A fraternal meeting will be conducted at 3 o'clock by the Rev. J. E. Wishart of the Ingram church. The Rev. Dr. Hervey will preach the evening sermon in the nature of a gratitude service. There will be services every evening next week.

Other services announced for tomorrow are as follows:

Presbyterian.

First, Maitland Alexander—10:45, communion; 7:45, "Life More Abundant, or the Possibilities in Every Man."

Lawrenceville, A. E. Linn—10:30 and 8.

Grace Memorial, Arthur Lanier—11 and 8.

Point Breeze, W. S. Fulton—11 and 7:45.

Herron Avenue, E. R. Hattan—10:45 and 7:45.

Welsh—10:30, "The Fullness of God in Christ;" communion.

Providence, W. A. Kinter—10:30, communion; 7:45, "Hebron."

Melrose Avenue, A. W. Verner—11, "A Great Discovery;" 7:30, "Searched by God."

Bellevue, W. A. Ralston—11, "Christianity a Holy Priesthood;" 7:30, "The Star of Jacob."

Mt. Washington, Charles S. McClelland—10:30, "Honor the King;" 7:45, "Philip and the Eunuch."

North, H. D. Lindsay—11, "The Things Left Undone;" 7:45, "Are There Signs of a Coming Revival?"

Bellefield, Henry T. McClelland—11, "Out Now and Safe Now;" 7:45, sermon by the Rev. Howard Boyd.

Park Avenue, H. B. Hummel—11, "Human Weakness and Divine Power," 7:45, "Unavailing Repentance."

First, Allegheny, D. D. Kennedy—10:45, "The Golden and the Degenerate Ages;" 7:45, "The Discovered Dream."

United Presbyterian.

Eleventh, Allegheny, C. F. Wishart—10:45, "Peril;" 7:45, "Entrusted Talent."

Sixth, Pittsburgh, R. M. Russell—11, prayer; 7:45, "The Unpardonable Sin."

Larimer Avenue Mission, W. A. Phillips—11, "Ezekiel's Vision of the Temple."

Knoxville, W. H. McMurray—11, communion; 7:45, sermon by the Rev. W. Van Kirk.

Second, Allegheny, W. H. McMillen—11, "The Sin of Not Doing;" 7:30, "The True Foundations."

Ninth, Allegheny, J. R. F. Milligan—11, "Paul's Sermon to Felix;" 7:45, "God's Way of Curing Doubt."

Seventh, Pittsburgh, J. R. McIlvaine—10:45, "Christ Fulfilling all Righteousness;" 7:45, "The Rejected Stone."

Braddock, Park Avenue, G. E. Hawes—10:45, "Hostile Dominating Ideas; Which Wins?" 7:30, "Can a Christian Go to Perdition?"

Reformed.

East End, D. S. Martin—10:30 and 7:30.

Central, Allegheny, J. W. Spurell—10:30 and 7:30.

Wilkinsburg, R. C. Wylie—11, "The Lord's Table, or the Table of the Devil; of Which Will You Partake?" 7:30, "Make Sure of Your Calling."

Baptist.

Forty-fourth Street, T. Griffiths—10:45 and 7:45.

Linden Avenue Mission, W. W. Barker—2:30 and 7:30.

Chatham Street, E. M. Jones—10:30, communion; 7:30, "Seeking Precious Pearls."

First, Sewickley, C. A. MacFall—11, "The First Commandment;" 7:30, "The Peace of the Strong Man."

Fifth Avenue, T. E. Jepson—11, "Working in Remembrance of Jesus;" 7:45, Miss Henrietta Morgan.

Maple Avenue, A. J. King—10:30, "All Cannot Be Great, But All Can Be Faithful;" 7:30, "A Wise Resolution."

Christian.

Bellevue, J. H. Craig—10:45 and 7:30.

East End, W. J. Russell—10:45 and 7:45.

First, Allegheny, J. W. Kerns—10:45, "The Signs of the Times;" 7:45, "So Near, Yet So Far."

Bristol Street, W. N. Arnold—11, "Winning a Crown;" 7:45, "Three Estimates of the Value of Man."

Observatory Hill, John A. Jayne—10:45, "Living for Eternity;" 7:45, "The Life of Christ," Illustrated.

First, Hazlewood, E. W. Thornton—10:45, "At the Well of Samaria;" 7:45, "Lost, Strayed or Stolen."

Christian Tabernacle, Mahlon H. Wilson—10:45, "The Coming Reformation;" 7:30, "What is the Greatest Thing You Ever Thought About?"

Methodist Episcopal.

Lincoln Avenue, W. F. Sluts—11 and 8.

Ouens Vista Street, Allegheny—10:30 and 7:30.

Smithfield Street, W. H. W. Rees—11, holy communion; 8, "Palmistry."

Christ, E. A. Blake—11, "The Church Need;" 7:45, Miss Dudley of Japan.

Millvale Avenue, Wilkinsburg, Arthur Smith—11, "Soul Satisfaction in Christian Service;" 7:30, "The Christian Attitude to the Public Opinion."

Methodist Protestant.

First, E. J. Young—11, "Good Success;" 7:45, "Christian Unity."

Bellevue, George Shaffer—11, "The Light of the World;" 7:30, "The Faith That Saves."

Trinity, Allegheny, J. S. Leland—10:45, "The Drawing Power of Righteousness;" 7:30, "Tower Building."

Congregational.

First, B. G. Newton—10:45, "The Life Beautiful;" 7:30, "The Life Beatific."

Puritan, South Side, George Marsh—10:30, "The Abiding Presence of God;" 7:30, "A New Creature in Christ;" communion.

Unitarian.

First, L. Walter Mason—10:45, "The Verities of Religion."

Protestant Episcopal.

St. Peter's, E. H. Ward—10:45 and 7:45.

Episcopal.

St. Philips Chapel, H. L. Wells—11 and 7:30.

Miscellaneous.

First Church, Christian Science—11 and 8.

First Church of Spiritualists, Allegheny, G. C. Day—2:15 and 7:45.

Covenant Mission to the Jews—3, the Rev. Thomas M. Chalmers of Chicago.

Gospel meeting at the Central Y. W. C. A., at 4 o'clock, Miss Charlotte Adams, speaker.

Church of God, W. L. Updegraph—11, "Christian Activity;" 7:45, "The Comfort of God."

INCREASE IN NUMBER OF SCHOOL CHILDREN

Reports from Sub-Districts Show 41,797, a Gain of 1,241 Over Last Year.

The last of the reports showing the enrollment in the sub-district schools were received yesterday afternoon by Secretary Belsfar of the central board. They show 41,797 pupils, an increase of 1,241 over the enrollment in September, 1901.

The following table shows the enrollment for 1902 and 1901, with the gain or loss by sub-districts:

Sub-Districts.	Enrollment 1902.	Enrollment 1901.	Gain.	Loss.
Allen	1,174	1,128	46	....
Bedford	477	455	22	....
Beltzhoover	647	597	50	....
Birmingham	570	526	44	....
Brighton	1,787	1,598	189	....
Colfax	503	570	....	9
Duquesne	160	188	....	28
Forbes	1,305	1,266	....	71
Franklin	1,078	1,016	89	....
Grant	715	770	....	55
Hancock	402	458	....	54
Hiland	2,485	2,354	131	....
Homewood	1,431	1,177	254	....
Howard	1,631	1,543	88	....
Humboldt	864	902	....	68
Knox	437	441	....	4
Lawrence	480	521	....	41
Liberty	2,127	2,153	....	16
Lincoln	2,247	2,068	179	....
Luckey	917	948	....	31
Minersville	2,197	2,075	122	....
Monongahela	225	249	....	26
Moorhead	1,599	1,568	31	....
Morse	768	795	....	27
Mount Albion	1,514	1,469	55	....
Mt. Washington	1,561	1,506	55	....
North	258	253	5	....
Oakland	2,566	2,586	....	20
O'Hara	2,566	2,580	....	13
Orchard	2,566	2,283	278	....
Ralston	325	328	....	3
Riverside	164	147	15	....
South	359	356	....	3
Springfield	451	441	10	....
Sterrett	591	545	46	....
St. Clair	951	914	37	....
Thad. Stevens	464	458	6	....
Washington	1,536	1,501	35	....
Wightman	431	497	....	66
Practice School	188	182	6	....
High School	1,850	1,836	14	....

The downtown and South Sides schools show the greatest losses, while in the East End and hill districts, both in the city proper, and the South Side, the gains run up. October's enrollment will be still larger.

Has No Jurisdiction.

Judge Buffington made an order that the United States court has no jurisdiction over certain property formerly occupied by the Van Tine-Constable Co. A petition was filed by the administrator of the estate of Theodore R. Hostetter, setting forth that the estate owned a piece of property in Penn Avenue, which was occupied by the Van Tine company. The American Trust Company was appointed receiver of the Van Tine company and sold the household goods. The petition claims the sale was against the terms of the lease.

Exceptions were filed yesterday by the defendants to the conclusions of law in the equity proceeding of the Daughters of the American Revolution against the city of Pittsburgh and others. In this the court quashed the ordinances for the vacation of Fort street and Point alley.

Go to Hotel Victoria for lunch, 50c; 11:30 to 2:30.

COUNCILMEN TO SETTLE ON SITE

Their Committee Will Tackle School Problem Alone and Report.

THE CITY CAN BORROW

Solicitor Carnahan Says No Bond Issue Will Be Necessary for Purpose—Brashear Tells of Necessary Buildings.

After another two hours' session yesterday afternoon the joint conference committee on a site for the polytechnic school adjourned without accomplishing anything. The Citizens members of the committee are determined upon the park site. The machine members are opposed to it. President Frew of the board of trustees made an impassioned speech against the park site, then left the room in what appeared to be intense disgust. Action was taken expressing the thanks of the councilmanic committee to the plan and scope committee for information, and the councilmanic committee will go it alone, and try to select a site to be recommended to councils.

An opinion was received from City Solicitor Carnahan to the effect that the city has a legal right to purchase a site for this school, and that the city can increase its indebtedness for that purpose without the consent of the people, simply through action of councils.

W. D. Zahniser, a machine member of the committee, made a motion that the joint conference committee recommend to the councilmanic committee that it ask councils to purchase a site for this school of anywhere from 20 to 50 acres. W. E. Sankey, another machine member, made a similar motion. Both were voted down.

As published in The Gazette several days since, the opinion of Mr. Carnahan allows the city to purchase a site for the polytechnic school. Numerous cases are cited to support the city solicitor's opinion, and he quotes from the opinion of Justice Mitchell in the case of Keller vs. the city of Scranton, which has been previously published. In substance, the city has the right under the constitution of 1874 to increase its indebtedness, without a vote of the people, until the aggregate amount of such increase reaches 2 per centum of the last preceding assessed valuation, provided such increase added to the net indebtedness does not exceed 7 per centum, no bonded debt to be counted in the 2 per cent estimate.

Prof. John A. Brashear said that the committee had estimated that at least 3,000 students must be provided for when the school was opened. He said that between eight and 10 two-story buildings would be necessary to accommodate this number.

$13.00 EXCURSION TO BOSTON $13.00 Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Oct. 6-11. Boston Special With Through Sleepers Leaves 5:20 City Time, Every Day Except Sunday.

On account of annual convention Brotherhood of St. Andrew, the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie R. R. will sell tickets from Pittsburgh to Boston, Mass., and return, at the extremely low rate of $13.00; tickets valid for return 30 days from date of sale. The P. & L. E. and New York Central lines have been selected as the official route.

Excursion to Wheeling Tomorrow.

Train leaves B. & O. R. R. depot 8:40 a. m. Fare $1.50 round trip.

LARKIN'S LETTER EXPLAINS THINGS

WILL NEVER APPROVE ENGINE HOUSE CONTRACT.

Says Money Must Be Used for Hospital, and Details Interesting Bits of History.

Controller Larkin yesterday returned to City Recorder Brown the contract for the construction of an engine house in the Thirty-second ward, the money for which was to come from the bond issue. The controller in a caustic letter to the recorder reviewed the history of the engine house era in Pittsburgh, and said some things about the municipal hospital. A portion of the letter follows:

"The controller herewith returns without his counter-signature contract for engine house in the Thirty-second ward, for the reason that there is no money in appropriation No. 103, bonds of 1900, applicable to this purpose. The money remaining in this appropriation (103), is all that remains of the money voted by the people of this city three years ago for the erection of a municipal hospital, and cannot be drawn upon for any other purpose.

"The controller has endeavored in every possible way to secure an understanding with the director of the department about the expenditure of the balance remaining in that appropriation, without success."

Brown's Old Appeal.

The controller then refreshes Recorder Brown's memory by calling to his attention the appeal which was made to councils three years ago by Brown, at that time director of the department of public safety, urging prompt action in establishing improved quarters for the city pesthouse. The controller has determined that no engine houses shall be built until the new hospital is provided for. After citing in detail the bulky correspondence, Controller Larkin concludes with this comment:

"That's the history of the bond issue of 1900 for $600,000 appealed for by you while serving as the director of public safety.

"Notwithstanding councils specifically recommended $300,000 for a group of hospitals, and their equipment, as designed by a committee of scientific and worthy citizens, and $300,000 for engine houses, land and fire equipment, $475,000 were taken for that purpose, leaving only $125,000 for hospitals and their equipment, and of that amount you now propose to take, through this contract, $18,000 more in partial payment for an engine house costing $24,000.

Will Not Yield.

"The director should know that not a dollar of the $600,000 originally in this fund would have been voted were it not for the commendable public spirit and sentiment aroused by the appeal for the shelter and refuge of the helpless sick. The $300,000 rider providing for engine houses was an after thought—a secondary consideration—and only made possible through the generous impulse always awakened by the cry for help.

"The second consideration has by artful processes been made first and pushed into prominence by skilled hands, while simultaneously the proposed hospital was quietly but systematically side-tracked.

"However, there yet remains $125,000 in that fund from that issue of bonds, and there it shall remain, sacred to the purpose for which it was allotted, as fully set forth and described, and it shall be used for no other than hospital purposes, unless the courts decree differently, or the people retire the present controller."

Excursion to Chicago, Via B. & O. R. R., $11.50.

Tickets on sale October 6 an 7, good returning until October 16. Solid vestibuled trains leave Pittsburgh 5:30 and 8:05 p. m. Round trip fare, $11.50.

CHINESE WARNED AGAINST BOXERS

Native Viceroy's Proclamation Shows Up Folly of Superstition.

DIVINE ART MUST STOP

Fate of Rebels at Peking Two Years Ago Cited to Show Uselessness of Charms—"Boxing" to Be Punished.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., Oct. 3.—Minister Conger's dispatches to the state department show that Yuan Shi-Ka, viceroy of Chili, China, is in earnest in his determination to crush the Boxers in his section. A proclamation issued by him, dated August 19, is just published in the official organ and Mr. Conger incloses a copy, as follows:

The heresy of Boxerism has done great harm to the land. Some time ago I, the viceroy, issued a proclamation on the subject, with instructions for its suppression throughout the province; but now it is rumored that Boxers from other parts have come and hide themselves about the country, practicing "boxing" in secret, together with incantations. They inflame the ignorant masses, raise doubts in their minds and induce not a few of them to join "boxing" in out-of-the-way places. It is most abominable.

From ancient times to the present this heresy always meant ruin. The "boxing" and incantations they practice amount, after all, to not much more than a kind of jugglery; the swallowing of knives and fire without any skill.

Consider what became of those outlaws who the year before last joined the Boxers in the neighborhood of Peking and Tien-Tsin, who, under pretense of opposing the churches, plundered whatever they had a mind to, but perished as soon as they were fought with, leaving their bones in heaps.

Again think of Li Kang Chung and others who quite recently had the audacity to collect and drill a crowd at Tsi-Yiang to oppose the government troops, and how they were caught and executed, their heads being exposed on poles. If the charms which they carry on their persons are of any avail, how is it, when they come in collision with good troops, that they are so easily taken and the charm have no efficacy at all?

The pity is that you, who used to be loyal folk, should be deceived by such heretical talk, and be taken in by the rebels with the idea that your families will be protected. Your heads are turned, thinking that by so doing you will save your life, when it is sure death and entire loss of property.

As to the propagation of this heresy the throne will positively not tolerate any such thing so injurious to the country.

All civil and military officials under my jurisdiction are hereby instructed at all times to strictly prohibit all such doings and to arrest the offenders.

This proclamation is put out in the hope that all the gentry, merchants and scholars under my jurisdiction may take note and understand that the propaganda and practice of the "divine boxing" (art), said to bring happiness, will bring only misfortune. By all means attend to your peaceful avocations. Don't listen to heretical words nor lay yourself open to charges and serious crime.

Whoever can apprehend a Boxer chief and give him up to the authorities he will be liberally rewarded, but those who persist in disobeying and practice "boxing" in secret, going of their own will and accord with the Boxers, they will be brought to account and punished according to the utmost rigor of the law. No leniency will be shown.

Three Years to Settlen Question.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 3.—Three years is the time fixed in the minds of officials of the war department for a complete settlement of the Philippine friars' lands question, on the present basis. So many and complicated are the land titles that the Philippine civil government cannot adjust them in a less time.

Cries Saved Three Lives.

The crying of the 7-year-old son of George Weber, a baker, of No. 1308 Wilkinston avenue, Allegheny, yesterday morning, resulted in saving the boy's life and his two brothers. The boys slept in the attic, the window of which had been left a little open. Sparks from a neighbor's chimney were blown into the boys' room, setting fire to the bedding. Mrs. Weber heard the child's cries and rescued them. The bed was consumed.

Gates In Poor Health.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—John W. Gates has returned to London from the continent in very poor health. He has given up his projected motor tour of England and Ireland and will sail for home Wednesday next.

LOCAL LEAD COMPANY MAY JOIN COMBINE

Paint and Lead Interests Are Consolidating -- Sterling Company May Be in It.

There is a chance that the Sterling White Lead Company of Pittsburgh may become a part of the big consolidation of practically all makers of lead products used in paints. Efforts have been made before to draw this concern into what was once the National Lead Trust, but reorganized in 1891 as the National Lead Company. The Pittsburghers controlling the Sterling Lead Company, which has extensive modern works at New Kensington, have so far preferred to continue independent.

The National Lead Company interests, along with the American Smelting and Refining Company, are now credited with having a deal nearly ready for consummation which will consolidate most of the paint lead producers of the country. So far it is uncertain what action the Sterling company will take. It is a close corporation of which Gerard C. Smith, William W. Lawrence and John J. Lawrence, Jr., constitute the directorate. Gerard C. Smith is president, William W. Lawrence vice president, Charles O. Smith secretary and John J. Lawrence, Jr., treasurer. Some time ago the company doubled its facilities. Its stock issue is $500,000.

Some of the independent makers of paint leads scattered throughout the country have recently been merged under a new concern known as the Union Lead and Oil Company. This company is formed with authorized capital stock of $15,000,000. The National Lead Company has a stock issue of $30,000,000. The American Smelting and Refining Company has a stock issue of $100,000,000.

That the American company is to become the parent company is not known here. If it is, the new consolidation will be launched with a capitalization of nearly $200,000,000. Otherwise the National Lead Company, Union Lead and Oil Company and the outside independent paint lead and some sheet lead and lead pipe producers will probably be consolidated with a capitalization of $70,000,000 or more.

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2 pairs, Van Tine's Price $63.00, Our Price $31.50.

3 pairs, Van Tine's Price $40.00, Our Price $17.50.

6 pairs, Van Tine's Price $22.00, Our Price $10.00.

1 pair, Van Tine's Price $15.00, Our Price $7.50.

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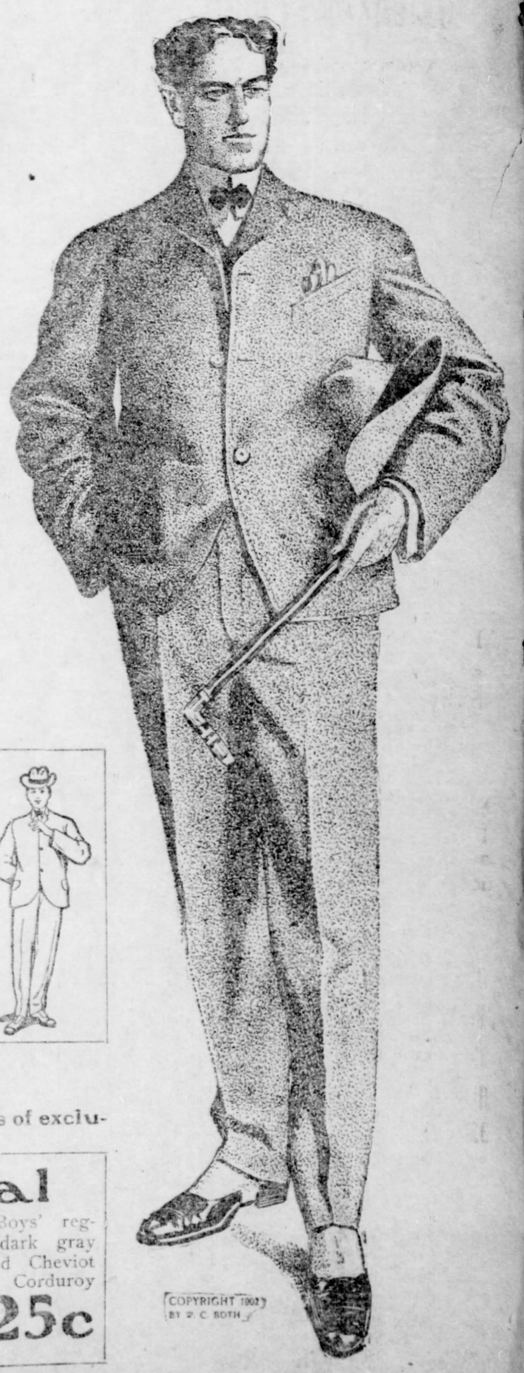
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